PRESIDENT WILSON MAY MAKE PRELIMINARY PEACE OVERTURES TOMORROW NIGHT

Washington, D. C., May 26.—President Wilson is giving more serious consideration to the possibility of restoring peace to Europe than at any time since the outbreak of the war. From an authoritative source it was learned today that the president is preparing to do everything possible in an informal way to bring about the discussion of peace between belligerents nations, although he has not indicated his intention to immediately offer services formally as mediator.

His address tomorrow night before the League To Enforce Peace is expected to be in the nature of a preliminary overture.

The president is convinced the war is deadlocked and that continuance merely means the killing of more people and the further impoverishment of European nations, both belligerent and neutral.

Mr. Wilson's closest advisors believe the rulers of warring nations because of their relationship, even kinship, will have as important a part in restoring peace as the ministers of their governments.

It will occasion no surprise in official circles if in some manner the rulers of the countries at war open the way for peace conversations.

The president takes the position it was authoritatively stated that the neutrals of the world as much as belligerents, have a right to participate in and if possible, initiate peace negotiations because of the economic results already developed and those which will follow the conflict.

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U. S. SOLDIER IS SLAIN IN BANDIT CLASH

OUTLAW LEADERS KILLED

Field Headquarters, Near Namiquipa, Mexico, May 26.—(Via Radio to Columbus, N. M.)—Candelario Cervantes, the Villa bandit leader, was killed by American troops south of Cruces yesterday. Another Mexican, Jose Benoame, and an American, were killed. Two Americans were wounded.

Cervantes' end came after he had made a surprise attack south of Cruces on a detachment of engineers repairing the motor truck road. He was beaten back and pursued into the hills by the engineers who had been reinforced by a detachment of the Seventh Infantry.

When the engagement began the bandits outnumbered the Americans 2 to 1, there being twenty of them. The engagement lasted almost an hour, with a hot interchange of bullets. Then reinforcements came in sight and the bandits broke for the hills. Private George O. Hulitt was the hero of the fight. Bullets from his rifle laid low both of the bandits killed.

Cervantes' home was in Namiquipa. He has been a thorn in the side of the army in Northern Chihuahua ever since the expedition began as he had succeeded in avoiding persistent cavalry searches. His death probably means the breaking up of the Villa followers in this section.

General Pershing was gratified over the latest fighting, saying the there remained only a few scattered bands of marauders to be hunted down.

BULGARIANS STRENGTHEN THEIR FRONT

Paris, May 26.—A Havas despatch from Athens says it has been learned from a reliable source that 30,000 Bulgarians have been brought from the Black Sea coast to reinforce the Macedonian front.

Everyday Wisdom

By DON HEROLD

Young married couples will find house rent is much lower in the vicinity of a volcano.

Why not grant suffrage to women gradually, first to those already active in public life in one way or another? For instance, no one would seriously object right now to giving suffrage to all the lady trick-bicycle riders in the country.

A golfer must feel discouraged at the end of a hard day's swimming, to find himself at the same place it started out at in the morning.

A man always feels like he is recovering from an anaesthetic when he comes out into the daylight from a dark matinée.

Think of precocious children, for instance, a man in Kentucky who celebrated the day he was born.

[Prepared by Adams Newspaper Service]

WOMEN WOUNDED IN FOOD RIOTS

London, May 26.—An Amsterdam dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company says that 18 women were wounded in a fight between police and food rioters at Frankfort-on-the-Main Wednesday night, according to a dispatch received at The Hague. The riot is said to have started owing to a shortage of meat in the local butcher shops. Three hundred and fifty women who had been told there was no meat for them, marched through the streets carrying black famine flags and singing Socialistic songs. The women forced their way into one butcher shop although it was guarded by soldiers and policemen. After a search they found some meat which they cut up and continued their march holding the pieces above their heads. Police attempted to take the meat from the women and a general fight followed in which the officers used their swords.

Waite Intended To Kill His Wife, Alienist Claims

DR. ARTHUR WARREN WAITE.
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New York, May 26.—Dr. Arthur W. Waite told an alienist engaged for his defense in his trial for the murder of John E. Peck, the Grand Rapids millionaire, that he had intended to kill his wife, Clara Peck Waite, and that he married her only for her money, according to testimony given by the alienist, Dr. Morris J. Karpas today. Dr. Karpas added that Waite said he did not intend to stop at anything to gain his ends.

Dr. Waite decided he did not think he was crazy and denied that he at anytime pleaded that he was insane. He denied that he told the prosecutors that "the man from Egypt" had killed Mr. Peck and swore that he slept perfectly after the murder. He declared that he had wanted to kill himself, and "made a pretty good attempt at it."

Accused of planning to leave the country with Mrs. Margaret Horton, he did not deny it, but said he "did not know" they were going away. Dr. Waite declined to admit that he had made himself appear worse than he was in order to convince the jury that he was insane.

The alienists for Waite testified that he did not appear to be mentally well and that he was abnormal in that all his interests were centered in himself.

New York, May 26.—Could a sane man commit the series of crimes confessed by Dr. Arthur Waren Waite?

This question confronted the jury today in the Peck murder case. The young dentist left the witness stand last night after five hours and forty-five minutes crowded with horrors unparalelled in the history of New York crime. Every detail of his story was noted by the alienists engaged by the defense for use in framing the hypothetical question they will be called upon to answer before Waite's attorneys ask the jury to decide whether he was mentally responsible when he killed his father-in-law, John E. Peck.

Waite's testimony left the prosecution's attorneys today nothing more to do toward proving that he committed murder. Their problem was to show that a monster of crime, such as the defendant confessed himself, might have been mentally normal and therefore a fit subject for the electric chair.

Counsel for the defense said today that they had few, if any more questions to ask their client. It was expected that the alienists would take the stand soon after the state finished cross examining the defendant.

The supreme moment of Waite's tale came last night when the young witness declared in calm, conversational tone, "Why, I wanted those bacteria to kill those three persons—Mr. Peck, Mrs. Peck and Miss Peck, the maiden aunt. I wanted them to die. I wanted their money."

This attempt to murder three persons, two of whom he sent to their graves, was the climax, Waite showed, of a long career of crime. Without a change of voice

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JUMPS THROUGH CAR WINDOW TO SAVE A WOMAN'S LIFE

Cleveland, O., May 26.—Police Sergeant Fitchin leaped through the window of a street car early this morning to save a woman who, he reported, tried to throw herself into the river from the Superior Avenue viaduct. Fitchin said he saw the woman climbing the bridge rail and jumped from the car window and held her. At the police station the woman gave the name of Minnie Jennings, aged 25. Fitchin reported the woman told him she wanted to jump into the river because she lost her husband.

SUBMARINE IS SUNK

Berlin, May 26.—(Wireless to Sayville)—The probable sinking in the Baltic of a submarine which was rammed by the Swedish steamer Angermanland on May 23, is reported today by the Overseas News Agency, which adds, however, that competent German authorities state that the submarine could not have been German. According to the news agency account the submarine suddenly appeared on the surface at the bow of the Angermanland off Svartklubben and was rammed by the Swedish steamer. The submarine immediately submerged and is believed to have sunk.

Paris, May 26.—There has been little change in the situation on the Verdun front says the official announcement issued by the war office this afternoon.

The artillery bombardment was very violent about Avocourt wood and Lemort Homme (Dead Man Hill)—at the latter place a German attack was stopped by the French curtain of fire at its violence.

On the right bank of the Meuse the French succeeded in recovering part of the trenches occupied yesterday by the Germans between Haudremont wood and the Thiaumont farm.

Otherwise the battle front was calm.

SOLDIERS FAINT

San Antonio, Tex., May 26.—Members of the Texas National Guard, who have been impatient at the delay in being ordered to duty along the Mexican border, have fainted in large numbers, while waiting in line to be inoculated with anti-typhus virus. "Psychological psenomon" remarked one army surgeon today. Further than that no one knows accurately why militiamen, and regulars as well, who often later distinguish themselves in action, should be overcome at the prospect of undergoing a treatment characterized by no pain and no ugly spilling of blood.

CHRISTIANS IN DANGER

Washington, May 26.—State department officals expressed anxiety today over the situation of American missionaries and native Christians in Syria who are reported through French sources to be threatened by an anti-Christian uprising. An inquiry has been sent to the American embassy at Constantinople.

RUSHING SPECIALIST FOR J. W. HILL

St. Paul, Minn., May 26.—Dr. William Mayo, surgeon of Rochester, Minnesota, is being rushed to St. Paul on a special train to attend James J. Hill, who is ill at his home. His son L. W. Hill, president of the Great Northern Railway, went in a special train this morning for Dr. Mayo. They are expected in St. Paul about 5 p. m. Mr. Hill, who has been ill for ten days, is thought to have taken a bad turn.

MEMORIAL DAY TUESDAY

Columbus, O., May 26.—Governor Frank B. Willis today issued formal proclamation naming Tuesday, May 30, as Memorial Day in Ohio, to attest our gratitude to soldiers, living and dead, to keep green the memory of the heroic deeds of a generation gone, to inspire a fervid love of country in this generation of Americans and to perpetuate the observance of a sacred anniversary.

The governor requests a general observance "in the spirit of gratitude for the blessings we enjoy and a keener appreciation of the privileges and responsibilities of American citizenship."

U. S. LIEUTENANT IS ELECTROCUTED

Sag Harbor, Li., May 26.—Lieut. Clarence Alvin Richards, commander of the United States destroyer Fanning, was instantly killed by an electric shock in the station of the Sag Harbor Light and Power Company here early today. Harry D. Christian, night watchman at the station said it appeared to him that the lieutenant deliberately committed suicide by taking hold of two heavily charged wires.

SALONIKI FRONT MAY SEE ACTIVITY ON PART OF ALLIES

Athens, May 26. (via Paris)—Exceptional military activity at Saloniki is believed here to portend developments of great importance. General Howell, chief of the British staff, and other officers of the allies, who have been in Athens, have been recalled suddenly.

On May 3 Bulgaria was reported to be sending heavy reinforcements to the Saloniki front in anticipation of a general offensive by the allies. Since that time dispatches from curious sources have reported activities in France and British forces, the most notable being the occupation of Florina, 18 miles south of Monastir, by allied troops, on May 23.

Germans Claim More Gains On Verdun Front

Berlin May 26.—German troops have continued successfully their attacks on the east bank of the Meuse extending their positions to the west of Haudremont quarry and crossing the Douaumont ravine, the war office announced today. South of Fort Douaumont the French were driven back further. The Germans captured an additional 600 prisoners and twelve machine guns.

London, Eng., May 26.—Violent fighting continues on the Verdun front, but according to the afternoon bulletin of the French war office it has resulted in few changes.

The French have regained some of the ground lost yesterday between Haudremont wood and the Thiaumont farm east of the Meuse, says the official statement, while west of that stream a German attack on Dead Man Hill was stopped by the French barrier fire.

New efforts by the German Crown Prince to advance against the French left flank, between Dead Man Hill and the Avocourt wood, are probably in preparation as the artillery bombardment there is reported as particularly intense.

The Austrian drive into Italian territory apparently is not proceeding with anything like its initial velocity. The opinion is expressed in Rome that a continuance of the advance will show a reversal of the conditions that heretofore have favored the Austrians, owing to the superior communication lines in the Italian rear. Indications that some military move of importance is impending in the Balkans are contained in dispatches from Greece which report exceptional activity in Saloniki. The entente powers have had a force supposedly of notable strength massed there for some time.

GREECE IS AROUSED OVER SUB ATTACKS

Athens (via Paris) May 26—The agitation throughout Greece, caused by the news that Teutonic submarines had torpedoed three Greek vessels continues to grow. Resolutions have been passed by the League of Ship Owners and the Sailors' Labor Union, demanding that the government take action to stop attacks on Greek merchant ships.

The ship owner's league has decided to bring a legal action in an effort to obtain the seizure of the Austro-German vessels interned in Greek ports unless the central powers indemnify the owners of the torpedoed Greek merchantmen.

Victim Of Heat

While putting up a porch swing Friday morning at her home on Eighth street, Mrs. Frank Walker was overcome by heat. A physician soon revived her. She was probably the first heat victim of the season.

PLOT BEHIND RUMORS OF LANSING'S RESIGNATION CLAIMS THE STATE DEP'T

Washington, D. C., May 26.—Secretary Lansing attended the cabinet meeting today after having been confined to his home by an attack of indigestion for nearly a week. The secretary said he has been able to do little work during his illness, the effects of which he still showed when he arrived at the White House.

The state department made this statement regarding published reports that Secretary Lansing was contemplating resigning from the cabinet because of differences with President Wilson.

"This story is part of a propaganda, the deliberate purpose of which is to create an appearance of dissension in the government which does not exist. The story was first born last February or March, when the relations between the United States and Germany were somewhat strained.

"It was sent to Berlin by wireless in press dispatches. It was picked in transit in an allied country and subsequently published there. In that way the state department became cognizant of the story and instructions were sent to Berlin to watch out for it. Apparently the persons responsible discovered we were prepared for the story because it was never published in Germany.

The directors of this propaganda have now taken advantage of Secretary Lansing's illness to put out the story again.

Mr. Lansing personally denied that he was considering resigning as he left the White House.

Cleveland, O., May 26.—Dr. F. P. Corrigan learned today that his cousin, Joseph Gill, whose home is in New York, is imprisoned somewhere in England because of the Sinn Fein trouble there.

Billy Butt-In Times Weather Man

This is what I call weather. These days with th' mercury hikin' for th' top o' th' thermometer and th' corn and things just poppin' out o' th ground is just my style and just th sort I've been workin towards all along. Th' Hammer Club is preparin' its monthly war report for publication some time next week. Here's for tomorrow:

Ohio—Fair tonight and Saturday, except probable showers Saturday near Lake Erie.

Kentucky and West Virginia—Fair tonight and Saturday.

Russell Rutlege Awarded Prize For Writing The Best Essay

A $5 gold piece offered by the Scioto County W. C. T. U. for the best essay written by a Portsmouth High School student, was awarded to Russell Rutledge, a member of the Junior class, Friday morning at the chapel exercises. The other six contestants, Floyd Sparks and Teresa Davis, Freshmen, Mary Brock, Orville Wolff, Howard Graf and Carl Walker, Sophomores, along with Rusell Rutledge, were seated on the stage and introduced to the school. Mrs. L. M. Ricker, Superintendent of Scientific Instruction in Scioto county, made the presentation speech. Other W. C. T. U. workers present were Mrs. C. C. Coverston, county president of the W. C. T. U.; Mrs. Freman Chase, treasurer; Mrs. Kate Reiser, secretary, and Mary E. Peebles a member. Next year the contest will include all high schools in the county and the winners will take part in the state contest. The judges in the local contest were J. F. Finney, C. M. Weyand and Mark Crawford. "Alcohol and the Laborer" was the subject of Rutledge's essay.

CHILD ATE ATROPINE TABLETS; LIFE IS SAVED BY PHYSICIANS

Alice Louise Grimm, ten-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Grimm, of Bierley addition, Scioto Trail, was taken dangerously ill about six o'clock Friday morning, when she ate two atropine tablets. Mrs. Grimm had given her baby a silver urn to play with, not knowing it contained five of the poison tablets. About an hour later Mrs. Grimm noticed the child's flushed face, blue lips and dilated eyes. She also noticed the three remaining tablets and sent in a hurried call for physicians, Drs. J. E. Rodgers and W. D. Micklethwait responding. They quickly had the baby out of danger. Two of the tablets do not contain enough poison to kill a child, but three would have been deadly, according to the physicians.

Men's Palm Beach Pants $2.40. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

Valuable Mare Dies

A fine Percheron mare belonging to Volney Thompson, Frost, Ky., died Thursday evening.

Alfred Schaefer, of Market street, who was successfully operated upon for the removal of his tonsils at Grant hospital in Columbus, is expected back home tonight.

Men's and Boys' Tennis Oxfords 65c. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

Itching Torture Stops

It is unnecessary for you to suffer with eczema, ringworm, rashes and similar skin troubles. A little zemo, gotten at any drug store for 25c, or $1.00 for extra large bottle, and promptly applied will usually give instant relief from itching torture. It cleanses and soothes the skin and heals quickly and effectively most skin diseases.

Zemo is a wonderful disappearing liquid and does not smart the most delicate skin. It is not greasy, is easily applied and costs little. Get it today and save all further distress.

Zemo, Cleveland.

Wants Exercises Held Early So He Can Return On Afternoon Train

Governor Frank B. Willis has written the committee on arrangements for the Union Memorial Day celebration, which several of the local fraternal organizations will hold Sunday, June 25, asking that the exercises be held at such a time on this day that he can come down on the noon passenger and leave on the afternoon train. Governor Willis will deliver the memorial address.

The committee will take action upon the request at their next meeting, which will be held Sunday.

REALTY DEALS

Charles W., Emma M., Otto P. and Bertha Zoellner to Charles V. Wertz, 2-3 acre Porter township, $1.

Mabel A. and Harry L. Revare to Charles V. Wertz, north 30 feet lot 9 and south 30 feet lot 100, Timmonds second allotment, city, $1.

Saw Game Here

Harry Hart, of Ironton, was a business visitor to Portsmouth Thursday and attended the ball game in Millbrook.

Men's White and Palm Duck Oxfords, $2.40 and $2.90. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

Decision Is Reversed

Word was received by Millar and Micklethwait, local attorneys, Friday that the court of appeals had reversed the decision of the Pike county court of common pleas in the case of Lionel Bauer against Thomas H. McCann, suit for damages. A decision was given the defendant by the lower court. Millar and Micklethwait represented the plaintiff and Eylar and Moore, Waverly, the defense.

RIVER NEWS

The Ohio river was 12.2 ft. and falling here Friday morning. Saturday's packet departures: Str. Mildred Runyon down for Rome at 2 p. m. Str. Courier up for Huntington at 2 p. m. Str. Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p. m. Heavy fogs that prevailed all week have greatly delayed the various packets.

David Stahler is repainting, refurnishing and generally improving the office room in the rear of his hardware store on Second street.

The Kah-Patterson Company is improving the front of its job printing plant at Second and Court streets.

Meets Old Friends

John F. Flannigan, coal dealer and transfer man, found among out-of-town persons in attendance at the funeral of John McCaffry, Thursday, old-time friends from Ironton and Wellston whom he had not seen in thirty-five years.

Was In Waverly

Jake Hetzel, of the firm of Adam Giesler & Co., was a business visitor in Waverly, Thursday.

Visiting Here

John Scott, a former Portsmouth shoe worker, is here from Rochester, N. Y., visiting home folks.

SOCIETY

The amount cleared at the supper given by the Bigelow Methodist Ladies' Aid Society last evening was $110.60.

Mrs. B. G. Harris and Mrs. J. F. Morris have issued invitations to an "At Home" Friday, June the second, from 2:30 till 4:30 o'clock, at Mrs. Harris' home, 1409 Offnere street.

The Do Shi Kai Club of High School girls met yesterday afternoon in the Y. W. C. A. parlors. After the business the summer camp at Crichton's Inn was discussed and the girls are planning to spend some time there this summer. A lawn fete will be given in June.

The Matron and Maid Club members will entertain their husbands next Monday evening at Seel's parlors.

The recital given by the Young Folks' Society of the German Evangelical church last evening was a decided success. Mr. Clyde Knost and Miss Irma Lindenmeyer, both vocal pupils of Hans Schroeder at the College of Music, Cincinnati, came up to give the program, which was delightful. Mrs. Philip Wickerham played their accompaniments beautifully, as did Mrs. George Kah, who accompanied Mrs. Lena Kline Reed, reader. Mrs. Reed is always a favorite. There was a splendid audience and the participants feel well repaid for their work. Mrs. Vossele came up from Cincinnati to attend the recital.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nagel, of 1532 Robinson avenue, was the scene of a delightful surprise party Wednesday evening, in honor of their daughter, Pearl, it being her 19th birthday anniversary. Those present were: Misses Pauline Welch, Ethel and Clara Fields, Mabel Moritz, Mary Purdum, Naomi Call, Lena Bowser, Marguerite Gove, Violet Cunningham, Evelyn Keever, Helen and Maud Nagel; Messrs. Roy Warren, Harry Bradford, Ed Franck, John Woods, Will McKnight, Wm. Hyland, Marion Prosch, Ralph Bowser, Oscar Emnett, Elliott McKnight, Everett Hardgrove, Charles Smith and Howard Nagel. The evening was spent in games and music, after which refreshments were served by Mrs. Nagel and Mrs. Brumfield. Miss Pearl was the recipient of many useful presents.

Self Complacency.

"A man should pause every now and then and take stock of himself," said the genial philosopher.

"That's all right for a modest man," replied the student of human nature, "but rather a bad plan for the sort of fellow who rates himself a little higher every time he does it."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Ladies Decoration Day Styles in

Dresses . . . . $1.49 up
Skirts . . . . . 95c up
Waists . . . . . 95c up
Hats . . . . . $1.95 up
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All women desire to wear fine clothes. Here is the place to gratify that desire at our unusual low prices.

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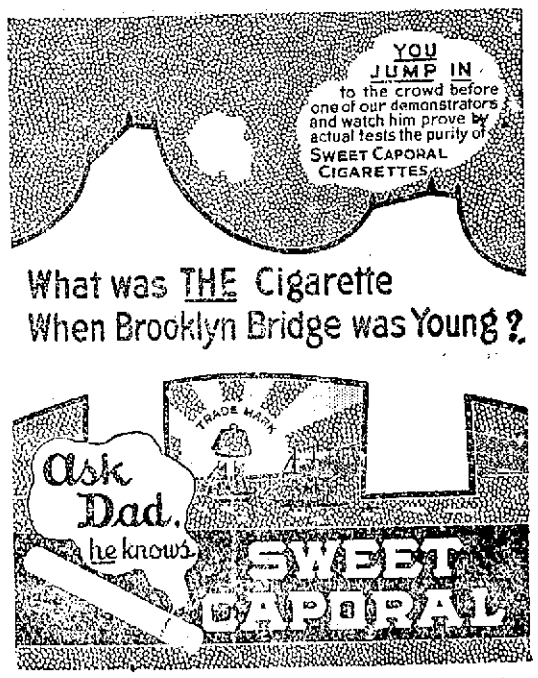

Improvement Is Finished

The improvement of Armstrong Place, extending one square north from Galia pike, has been completed, Kelley Bros. finishing the grout filler Friday morning.

Men's South American Panamas $5.00. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

CHINESE TRICKERY.

Traders Who Keep Their Victims In Financial Slavery.

Dishonest traveling merchants in China find a particularly lucrative field in which to ply their labors, with the result that almost unbelievable consequences come to light now and then. Some traders, taking advantage of the simplicity of the Mongolians, make an attractive display of goods such as the natives crave to possess, and tempt them to purchase what catches their fancy.

Woe to one who is beguiled to walk into the snare, for the glib tongue of the traveling merchant will soon induce him to take possession of that particular article to which his attention is directed at any price demanded. If he has something to offer in exchange fleecing stops there, but in case he has nothing to give in return a great calamity will befall him.

The vendor will assure him that he is quite welcome to carry away the article on credit. He will come back again to the town after a certain lapse of time. If the native hands over one or several head of cattle as the case may be, and an extra sheep or a horse, equivalent in value to 30 or 40 per cent of the price of the goods advanced, as interest, everything will be satisfactory. However, the merchant on returning seldom collects the price, but is satisfied with carrying away the promised interest, leaving the purchaser in debt so that he can forever milk him.

Thus, it is not rare to see some Mongolians working for the payment of usurious interest on a debt contracted by their fathers or even grandfathers as the result of having fallen a victim to one of these tricky Chinese peddlers.—Argonaut.

MONSTER WATER BUGS.

One of Them Can Grip and Easily Put to Death a Frog.

The frog's worst enemy is a monster water bug which inhabits the tropical waters of both North and South America. This water bug is one of the largest aquatic insects. It is called a giant by comparison with other bugs, but it is much smaller than any of the frogs on which it preys. Yet so powerful are its legs that it is sure death for the frog that gets within their grasp.

The two principal joints of the forelegs fold down on one another, and the stouter of these two has a groove along its front to receive the sharp inner edge of the next joint, much as the blade of a pocketknife folds down.

In the pools and the estuaries of tidal waters these giant bugs hide among stones and rubbish, from which they dart rapidly to attack passing frogs and occasionally fishes. The victim is clasped by the bug's forelegs, and the deadly beak between its two compound eyes is plunged deep into the flesh.

This is not a case of taking toll merely of the victim's blood, as in the case of many other sucking insects; it is speedily followed by the death of the bug's victim. This appears to be due to a copious supply of liquid from around the base of the beak, which finds its way into the puncture.

Professor Locy has traced this to a pair of glands in the head of the giant water bug. Their secretion produces death very quickly.—New York American.

Getting an Autograph.

A Munich boy of fourteen who had seen and admired many of Rudolf von Seitz's paintings was anxious to secure the painter's autograph, but did not know how to go about it. After much thought he wrote a letter, stating that he had sent a case of wine to the professor's address and wanted to know whether it had been received. Thinking the matter of sufficient importance, the painter did not write, but called at the address given, met the boy's mother, and the fraud soon became apparent. The boy was thoroughly scolded and next day received this autograph note:

It often happens here on earth
That little rogues to great ones grow.
Some autographs for which you're trying
Can be procured without much lying.

No Sense of Proportion.

The young man who had spent his efforts for several years without result in studying art was talking with his practical uncle, who had patiently paid the bills.

"Of course," said the young artist, "I know I haven't made much of a go of it, but I don't think you ought to advise me to try something else. You know it's best to put all your eggs in one basket and watch that basket."

"Um! That may be, Charlie; but did you ever think how foolish it is to put so many baskets around on bantam eggs?"

Rubber Trees.

Rubber trees planted in Ceylon have attained a height of fifty feet and a girth of two feet from the surface of the ground in six years. At the end of that time the trees are ready for tapping in order to extract the latex, or sap, which is transformed into rubber.

Evading the Issue.

"Has that borrowing friend of yours dropped out of sight?"

"Oh, no; he manages to keep in touch with me."—Baltimore American.

His Wish.

Tom—I wish this ten dollar bill was a ten dollar debt. Dick—Heavens! Why? Tom—I'd never get rid of it.—Exchange.

He chooses best who chooseth labor instead of rest.—Old Saying.

Don't let a low price fool you

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Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes

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We want to say this:

Our clothes are guaranteed to be satisfactory to the wearer; and this guarantee is given without reservation, modification or exception.

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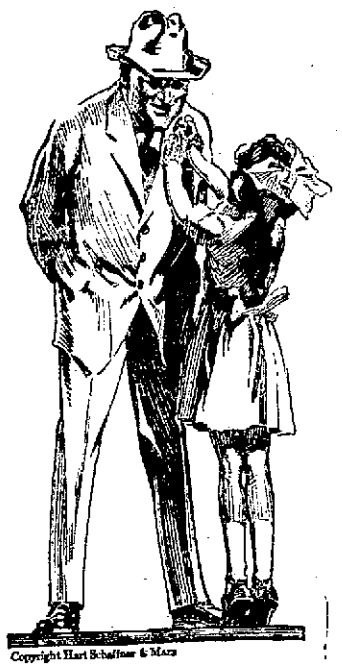

Criterion Clothing Co.

The Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes

Was Visitor In Cincinnati

I. B. Lindeman, of Cincinnati, who with his wife has been visiting Dr. Jos. Gill and family, of Third street, took a run down to the Queen City Thursday to look after some business affairs before resuming a trip from Portsmouth to New York.

Learning To Drive Car

W. O. Horn, a well known barber, has decided to turn chauffeur and is now learning one of the Model laundry routes. That concern, owing to steadily increased business, is going to add a couple of more autos to its delivery service.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Walker, of 539 Front street, are rejoicing over the arrival of a son born at their home May 20th. Mr. Walker is at the head of the new piano factory on Court street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Ferguson, of 615 Fourth street, are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby daughter. Mr. Ferguson is employed as salesman by George W. Ahrend, Chillicothe street haberdasher.

OTWAY

Carey Forinash, of Sciotoville, was calling on his sister, Mrs. H. S. Hoople, Sunday.

Miss Maple Spence, of Lucasville, was calling on home folks Sunday.

H. O. Adams and family motored to Youngs Sunday.

Walter Smalley, who has been very sick, is improving.

Men's Sport Shirts 50c and $1. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

Final Account Filed Friday

William Thompson, guardian of Nettie J. Thompson filed his first and final account Friday in probate court. The report shows receipts of $412.50, expenditures of $241.35 and a balance of $171.15.

Vitalite used on all Enamel work by Brehmer, the Painter. 1-tf

Returns From Youngstown.

Attorney Sherrard Johnson returned Thursday from Youngstown where he was called on an important legal mission.

OBITUARY

August Maier Funeral

The great esteem in which August Maier, well known and respected German citizen, who died suddenly a few days ago, was held, was attested by the large attendance of mourning friends at the funeral Friday morning.

Services were held at St. Mary's church and a warm tribute to Mr. Maier's memory and good traits was paid by the pastor, Rev. Father T. A. Goebel during the course of his sermon. Mrs. John W. Snyder and Mrs. Alma Schmank-Hoerr sang the duet, "Some Sweet Day", so fervently and impressively as to bring tears to nearly every person present. In accordance with one of the last requests of Mr. Maier, his two sons, William and Albert Maier, his sons-in-law, P. J. Frederick, of this city, George Lehman, of Columbus, W. H. Payne, of Norwood, and his grand-son, George Lehman, Jr., acted as pall bearers. The floral offerings were of unusually beautiful designs and number over thirty.

Out-of-town relatives and friends in attendance at the funeral included Mr. and Mrs. Julius Bachman, of Middletown, O. Mrs. Henry Husman and son, Cleve Husman, Joseph Uhl, Albert and Clifford Muhlhauser, all of Cincinnati; Mrs. Ellis Green, of Ironton; Mrs. Irma Saunders, of Huntington; Joseph Smithline and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Opworth, of Junior Furnace, Lawrence county. Burial took place in the parish cemetery.

Mrs. Anna Ratcliff

Mrs. Anna Ratcliff, wife of James Ratcliff, of Mt. Zion, Ky., died at Hempstead hospital about 9:30 o'clock Thursday evening shortly after giving birth to a daughter, who is doing nicely. The deceased was 47 years of age.

The body was taken to Mt. Zion Friday morning. Mr. Ratcliff was at his wife's bedside when the end came. She leaves her husband, baby daughter Susie and Bryan and Herman all at home. The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon from Mt. Zion M. E. church with Rev. Hampton in charge.

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Fresh Milk on ice every day, per quart 9c
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Red Bird, per can 12c
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Are all guaranteed. Try our's.
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Cocoa 10c
Syrup, per can 9c

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Jelly, per glass 9c

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DEMONSTRATORS from H. J. Heinze & Co., and Stretmann's Biscuit Co. will be with us on Saturday of this week with a nice line of their goods and will hold a free demonstration.

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FINE PROGRAM COMPLETED FOR DECORATION DAY

Parade Will Move At Nine O'Clock

Everything is in readiness for the annual Decoration Day exercises. The program and line of march was completed Friday by Captain Cread Milstead.

An effort will be made by the committee in charge to make these exercises, which will be held Tuesday morning at nine o'clock, the most impressive and long to be remembered since the founding of this beautiful custom, when the citizens of the United States honor the memory of those who fought in the great civil war.

The following program has been arranged for Decoration Day when tribute will be paid our dead soldiers who are resting in Greenlawn cemetery.

All those taking part in the parade will assemble on Gallia street Tuesday morning, May 30, 1916, at 8:30 o'clock. The parade will move promptly at 9 o'clock a. m. in the following formation:

1st. The city police force who will form opposite the post office, head of column resting west.

2nd. Grand Marshal and Staff in rear of police force.

3rd. Drum and Bugle Corps in the rear of Grand Marshal and Staff.

4th. United Spanish War Veterans in the rear of the Drum and Bugle Corps.

5th. The Sons of Veterans in the rear of the Spanish War Veterans.

6th. Boy Scouts in the rear of the Sons of Veterans.

7th. The Jr. O. U. A. M. and band in the rear of the Boy Scouts.

8th. Woodmen of the World in the rear of the Jr. O. U. A. M.

9th. The Lewis band in the rear of the Woodmen of the World.

10th. Bailey Post and all ex-soldiers, sailors and marines in automobiles in the rear of the Lewis band.

11th. City officials in carriages and automobiles in the rear of Bailey Post.

12th. Citizens in carriages and automobiles in the rear of the city officials.

13th. The fire department will form on Fifth street, head resting east on Chillicothe street and will fall in the rear of the parade.

The uniform rank of the Jr. O. U. A. M. will act as the firing squad at the cemetery.

Line of march: North on Chillicothe street to Ninth. At Ninth street the marching column will go through the Tracy park and around the Soldiers' monument with uncovered heads, thence east on Ninth to Offnere, north on Offnere to the cemetery gate.

The automobiles carrying the G. A. R. will leave the parade at Robinson avenue and go to the Lincoln street entrance to the cemetery where they will unload and form line. The Spanish War Veterans, Sons of Veterans and the Boy Scouts will leave the parade at Grant street and march east on Grant street to the Lincoln street entrance, at which place they will join the G. A. R.

The decoration of the graves will be under the direction of Adjutant W. H. Williams. After the graves have been decorated you will return to the speaker's stand where the exercises will be concluded with music and an address by the Rev. B. F. Candill. The different bands will take a position in the Soldier's Circle. Commanders and aides will please clip this program out of the newspaper and familiarize themselves with their duties. The decorating squads will bring the empty baskets back and leave them in the Soldiers' Circle. The following aides will do staff duty: Mr. Firman Smith, G. A. R.; Oliver Lewis, W. O. W.. Additional aides will be announced later.

CREAD MILSTEAD,
Grand Marshal.

Affected by Business.

"The girl in the phonograph place we patronize nightly is just full of affectation."

"But she must consider that it is her business to put on airs."—Baltimore American.

Same Thing.

"Can you play the lyre?"

"I can tell a good fish story."—Baltimore American.

INNOCENT MAN BARELY ESCAPED PRISON SENTENCE BECAUSE OF LIKENESS TO SWINDLER

MRS. E.C. DEVINE & DAUGHTER (IN CIRCLE) RICHARD F. PARKER.

Chicago, May 26—For a crime committed by a double he had never seen until recently, Ernest C. Divine, now wealthy and head of a theatre corporation here, almost went to prison as a forger. His case is one of the strangest on record and the details have just come to light through Mr. Divine, who visited his convict double in the state penitentiary at Charlestown, Mass.

Late in the summer of 1908, Richard F. Parker, (one of the aliases assumed by the "double"), opened an office in Worcester, Mass. He closed a bond deal involving $30,000 with A. B. Turner, a Boston broker. Turner subsequently found that the check handed him by Parker was a pure forgery.

About a month later a Boston detective walked into the office of Edward M. Deane and Co., bankers, of Chicago, where Divine was employed, and arrested him. He answered the description of Parker to the minutest detail. Their physical features were the same. Both had brown hair, which grew back from the forehead, and each had a tiny dimple in the end of his nose. Mr. Turner was summoned from Boston. He positively identified Divine as Parker. Several of the Turner firm also declared the innocent man the person who robbed the company of $30,000 by the bad check.

Divine was hurried out and put through the third degree. He was beat, kicked and insulted, but could give the detectives no satisfaction. Extradition papers were signed, allowing the police to send Divine to Boston for trial. The innocent man's attorney immediately asked for a write of habeas corpus and a hearing was ordered.

Divine was asked to write his name so that it could be compared with Parker's on the check. The signatures tallied exactly.

Finally Divine was able to prove an alibi. He had been with A. K. Brown, president of the Kenwood Trust Company in Chicago at the very hour the forged check was handed to Turner in Boston.

Although Divine was immediately freed of the charge, he was a marked man for several years and lost one position after another when his employers learned that he had once been tried for forgery. However, he persisted and today is prosperous.

Parker, the real forger, was not arrested until 1914, in Atlantic City. He was wanted for passing a forged check on a Philadelphia firm. Other forgeries were traced to him, and finally Mr. Turner identified him as the man who gave him the worthless check for which Divine almost went to prison.

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15c Men's Garters 8c
$1.00 Men's Dress Shirts, ...64c
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Saloon Near Piketon

Just outside of the Piketon corporation and in Seal township in Pike county a saloon has been opened by Charles "Scoot" Vulgamore. The Piketon corporation is dry, but the rural district is wet and Mr. Vulgamore who is known here, has been granted a license to open a saloon in Seal township.

This is the first "thirst parlor" Pike county has had outside of Waverly in a number of years.

DRY RIDGE

We have organized a Sunday school at the Dry Fork school house with Roe Blackburn, superintendent. We hope to make it a sucess. Sunday school next Sunday at 3 p. m. Everybody come.

Mrs. William Porter, while returning home from Sunday school Sunday afternoon, fell and broke her right arm.

Charles Kuhn, of Leesburg, was calling on his best girl, Tacie Mustard, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Mustard were calling on the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Foster, Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Creech is sick.

Minnie Currant, of Hatch, O., is employed at her grandfather's, Mr. S. S. Wallace, at present.

Edgar Hackworth and his best girl were seen out driving Sunday afternoon. Boys get your bells ready.

George Wallace still makes his regular trips to Dry Fork every Saturday night. What's the attraction, George?

Walt. Ralston was visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. Lamm, of Duke, O., last Tuesday

Elmer Foster called on Miss Lina Hatch, of Laurel Hill, Saturday night.

Ora Creech still makes his regular trip to Sedan.

Everybody on Dry Fork has been exposed to the measles.

YOUNG ,OHIO

Miss Stella Ross and Miss Ida Moore were shopping in Portsmouth, Wednesday.

Mrs. Alton Snook and sons are visiting in Portsmouth this week.

Alton Liston and family motored to Portsmouth, Sunday.

T. E. Thompson went to Cincinnati last Saturday, returning Tuesday with his son, Everett, who has been visiting at the home of his cousins, the Misses Lulu and Mabel Yates.

The funeral of Mrs. Geo. Brown was held at this place Sunday afternoon.

Mr. J. B. Bradney made a business visit to Blue Creek last Saturday.

Geo. W. Hilt, after finishing pruning his berries, spent Wednesday fishing, accompanied by Alton and Walter Smalley. They reported the largest fish caught was less than 21-2 feet long. Some fishing.

J. C. White has a new piano.

Harrison White was transacting business at Barden Tuesday.

Mrs. Cora Norman, of McDermott, was visiting her father and brother over Sunday.

Harry Perdue made a business trip to McDermott Saturday.

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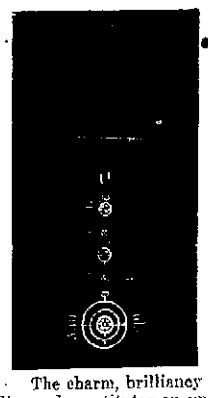

The charm, brilliancy and ever increasing value of a pure diamond constitutes an unrivaled gift for any occasion. Then, too its ever increasing value, unlike any other article of personal adornment, makes such a present additionally attractive to the recipient.

In view of these peculiar advantages, we have had designed for graduation this season a special assortment of diamond rings. The purity of the stones, the gracefulness and beauty of the settings combined with their strength and durability afford a gift selection of unquestioned satisfaction.

We urgently invite your inspection and comparison of these diamond rings. You can confidently rely upon the quality, the designs, the workmanship and mountings.

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PRESTONSBURG VISITED BY A DISASTROUS FIRE

A disastrous fire visited Prestonsburg, Ky., Thursday, according to R. T. Dunn of that city, who was a business visitor to Portsmouth, Friday.

The Clarke Hotel, a hostelry that had housed many Portsmouth salesmen, the Burke building and the Prestonsburg bank building were entirely destroyed along with a number of residences. The loss is estimated at $75,000.

May Extend Seventeenth St. Through To Mabert Road

Administration officials plan to shortly take up the opening and widening of Seventeenth street through to Mabert Road.

The extension of the street will have the effect of opening the Brombacher, Lang and other tracts and place on the market some very desirable residence lots which owing to their close proximity to the N. & W. terminals and steel plant should chiefly appeal to working people. There is also a possibility of the street railway extending its Seventeenth street line down Mabert Road to Gallia street instead of down the east bank of Lawson's Run.

REV. CHAPMAN'S FAREWELL SERMON

Rev. W. P. Chapman will close his work in this field and deliver his farewell sermon at Pleasant Green Baptist church next Sunday evening.

All clubs will make their final report on the rally at this service. The public is invited. Rev. Chapman will go from here to Cincinnati.

Constipation
Billousness-Headache
Dr. Chase's Liver Tablets
Make the liver active, bowels regular, without pain or griping, relieve sick headache and that blotted feeling after eating, purify the blood and clear the complexion. Large BOX, enough for last a month, 25C. Dr. Chase Co., 224 N. 10th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Didn't Like Them.

The Mistress—My last maid was too familiar with the policeman. I hope I can trust you? The Maid—Oh, yes, madam! I can't bear 'em. I've been brought up to 'ate the very sight of 'em. Pa's a burglar.—London Sketch.

Wheat Crops.

It is calculated that about one-third of the world's wheat crop is harvested in July.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to extend our thanks to our friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the sickness and death of our dear father, Rev. Cyrus Riffle. We also thank Rev. Mansey for his comforting words, Rev. Strecker for his beautiful prayer, Mrs. M. W. Brown and Mrs. Charles Sparks for the lovely song, and J. R. Morton for the manner in which he conducted the burial. We also extend our thanks to Hempstead Hospital for the loving care given him, during his stay at that institution.

F. W. RIFFLE,
FRANK RIFFLE,
MRS. ELMER LINVILLE,
MRS. J. A. COOPER.

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Men's Elk Hide Outing Shoes $2.00 and $2.90. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

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Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

Tea in the Time of Buddha.

At the time of Buddha China was enjoying a large foreign commerce in tea. It was carried by her junks to Japan, Korea, Tonquin, Anam, Cochin, Burma, Siam, India, Ceylon, Persia and Arabia. According to one record, it was sent to a great black river country west of Arabia, from which it was separated by a long and very torrid sea, which must have been Egypt. It was carried by caravans to Manchuria, Mongolia, Kuldja, Tartary, Tibet, Persia and northern India.

Enough Said.

"You are an advocate of woman suffrage. What are your reasons?"
"My wife."

The Great Removal Sale

is Still Going On at The Atlas Old Stand!

Bigger bargains than ever await your coming. Loads of new skirts, waists, dresses and suits are being added to the already large stock at prices that are simply marvelous.

Don't miss this sale—only a few days before we move into our new store.

The Atlas Co.
New Location Grand Opera House Building

TO OPEN GARAGE

Nick Shively, who was until recently employed at the Will Friel garage, and Wallace Smith are on a deal whereby they become business partners and take over the Citizens Auto garage on Second street.

WILL COMPLETE VIADUCT IN JULY

N. & W. officials now expect the Lawson Run viaduct to be entirely completed and ready for use early in July.

Contractor L. E. Sturm's forces are busy tearing down and loading up false work, which is necessarily slow, cleaning up generally and dressing up the structure, installing the concrete railing and getting ready to pave the roadway.

MT. BRACKEN

Those visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Baldwin Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. W. Elrod and children, Ola, Harald, Teddy and Dorothy, Mrs. Margaret Hill and two children, Iris and Ruby, Mrs. H. C. Noxsel and daughters, Amelia, Vernie, Carrie and Alice, and Mrs. Edna Hamilton.

Misses Myrtle Smith and Carrie and Alice Noxsel were shopping at Wamsley, Saturday.

Charles Mitchell, of Brush Creek, passed through this vicinity Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Hill had as guests Friday evening the Misses Mary Smith, Amelia Noxsel, Flora Elrod, Ola Elrod and Vernie Noxsel, Messrs. Cary Smith, Arthur Noxsel, Everett and Forest Hamilton.

Mr. Frank Clark, of Mineral Springs, was calling on his best girl, Miss Carrie Ivers, Sunday.

Frank Eichenlaub, of Oswego, was the Sunday guest of Cary Smith.

Mrs. Annie Smith and daughters, Mary and Myrtle, were calling on Isaac Nichols and family, Sunday.

Miss Flora Elrod, who has been visiting home folks, returned to Portsmouth Saturday.

Miss Amelia Noxsell was calling on Miss Flora Elrod Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hamilton had as Sunday evening guests Misses Carrie Ivers, Amelia and Vernie Noxsel, Messrs. Cary Smith and Arthur Noxsel, Chas. Baldwin and Frank Clark. The evening was spent in singing.

Mixed.

"Why, Harkins, where have you been? You look like a wreck."

"I know it. My twin brother and I had a quarrel, and I hired a bruiser to lick him. The fellow mixed us up, and here I am."—London Tit-Bits.

Sunday Papers.

The first Sunday paper in this country was the Sunday Courier, begun at New York in 1825.

MOVEMENT IS ENDORSED

At a regular meeting of Pipe Fitters' local No. 451 Thursday night, that organization unanimously endorsed the Jr. O. U. A. M. movement for free text books.

MT. HOPE

Carey Forinash, of Sciotoville, was visiting his sister of this place Sunday.

Walter Smalley, who has been laid up for some time, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Cora Norman, of McDermott, was visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. H. S. Hoople was calling on Mrs. Mann, Monday.

Geo. Hilt was a business visitor at Young Sunday evening.

Walter Hilt and Chas. Payne were calling on Wm. Hilt, Sunday.

School closes at this place Friday May 26.

The Sunday school had an attendance of 33 Sunday. An election of officers was held, as follows: Supt., Frank Arnold; assistant supt., Alton Smalley; secretary and treasurer, Myrtle Browning; assistant, Ethel Powell; librarian, George Hoople; assistant, Hartzell Spence; teachers, Mr. H. S. Hoople, Frank Arnold, Mrs. H. S. Hoople.

FULTZ'S CORNER

W. L. Fultz of this place, was a business visitor at Otway one day this week.

Mrs. S. B. Douglas and son, Clyston, of Lover's Lane, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Redman, of Otway.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Chapman and two children, of Chatman's Station, were the Saturday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Robinson, of Robinson's Corner.

Roy Richards, the merchant of Sweet Lane, was a caller at Otway Sunday.

Miss Lulu Morris, of Cary's Run, who spent a week with friends and relatives on Rocky, returned home Wednesday.

Johnnie Jones, of Smiling Ridge, and his best girl, Miss Essie Warner, of Lover's Lane, attended the convention at Churn Creek, Sunday.

Miss Nannie Elmore, of Hay Station, spent Saturday and Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Rhoda Robinson, of Cedar Yard.

Oakley Newman's smiling face was seen on our streets Saturday. He lives at Portsmouth.

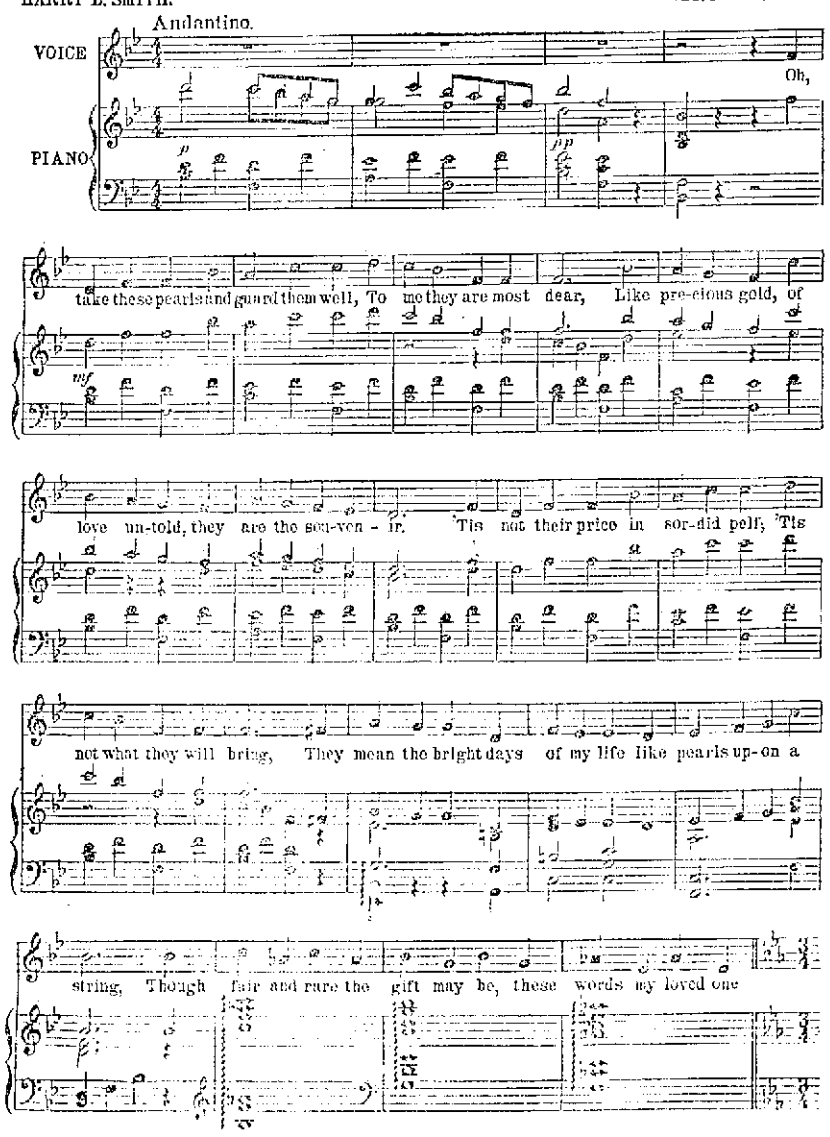
Boys' Kool Kloth Suits $4.40. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

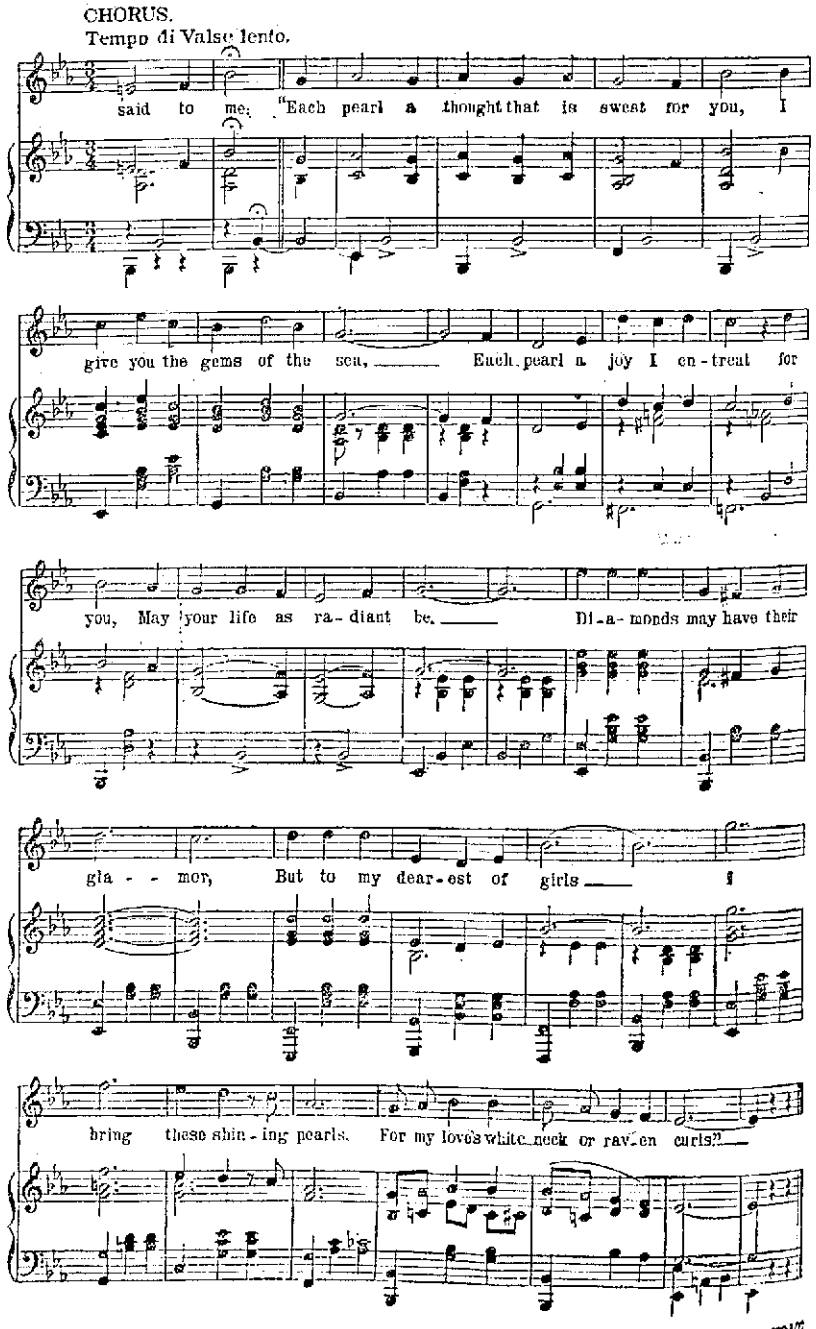
The Daily Times Saturday Song Hit.

"Each Pearl A Thought!"

From the Bright Musical Comedy "Oh I Say," Casino Theatre, New York.

Words by HARRY B. SMITH. Music by JEROME D. KERN.





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—$100.00
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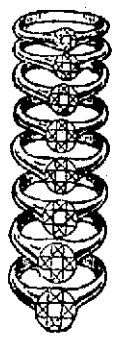
—$200.00
—$250.00



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TIMES CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT
Phone 446. Phone 446.

WANTED

WANTED:—Experienced girl for kitchen work and cooking, no washing. 703 Findlay. Phone 1425-R. 26-tf

WANTED:—Two boarders, use of bath and phone. 317 Campbell avenue. 26-3t

WANTED:—25 girls, sewing machine operators, steady work, good pay. Mitchell Mfg. Co. 26-6t

WANTED:—Woman for housework. 1934 Hutchins. Phone 193-L. 26-3t

WANTED:—Washing to do at home, rear of 1135 11th. 26-6t

WANTED:—To give boy, about 10 years old, a good home, schooling, good clothes and one dollar per month; address Geo. Baker, 1391 South High street (rear) Columbus, Ohio. Transportation allowed. 26-1t

WANTED:—Girl for general housework. 1657 5th. 26-tf

WANTED:—At once a girl of experience in family of two. Mrs. Shoenberger, 521 Market. 26-tf

WANTED:—Good girl for general housework. No washing. Apply at once. 1327 Offnere. 26-tf

WANTED:—Woman to do house cleaning one day each week. Phone 1588-R. 26-1t

WANTED—Girl for dining room work. Mrs. Holbrook, 725 8th. 25-3t

NOTICE—North End Storage and Sales Co. All kinds of furniture repaired. 1012 12th St. Phone 630. 25-tf

WANTED:—Experienced girl for housework in small family. Apply at once. 610 4th St. 25-tf

WANTED:—To buy second hand roll top desk. Call Flood and Blake. 24-3t

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revare & Klingman, Bell phone 490. 5-tf

NOTICE:—For prompt package delivery. Phone Y 404, Dick Bostwick, 12 Waller. 2tf

WANTED: — Carpenter work. Screen work to order. Charles Clessinger, Phone 1441. 22-6t

NOTICE:—Highest prices paid for second hand furniture, clothing and shoes. Phone 449-R. 525 2nd. G. W. Rice. 8-tf

WANTED—To paint your house. Frank B. Pratt, Phone 363-L. 8-tf

WANTED—Repairing and upholstering. Phone 1598-Y. G. W. Gallock. 19-tf

WANTED:—Girl at once. 721 Chillicothe. Phone 886-R. 25-2t

WANTED:—Experienced stenographer. The McDermott Stone Co., McDermott, Ohio. 25-3t

WANTED:—5 union painters. Call phone 1615-X. R. H. Cook, 522 Robinson. 25-2t

WANTED:—Boarders at 1725 Logan. Phone 1310-X. 25-3t

WANTED:—Young men to fill clerical and stenographic positions. Address Box 910. 19-tf

WANTED:—Second hand furniture and stoves. 1024 Ninth. Phone 1180-Y. 16-tf

Storage & Auction House

Shippers to all parts of the world.

Estimates cheerfully made at any time. Furniture Packers, Craters and Shippers. Our exclusive Storage and Packing Departments open for inspection every day. 20 years' experience makes us reliable.

PEEL & CO.

Warehouse and Office 623 Second
HOME PHONES 1219 and 923

NOTICE:—For prompt city delivery call Geo. Abrams, Phone 1025-L. 31-tf

NOTICE:—For city package delivery call Everett Artis, Phone 1586-X. 4-tf

WANTED:—Men who desire to earn over $125 per month write us today for position as salesman; every opportunity for advancement. Central Petroleum Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 26-1t

FOR SALE

FOR SALE:—Or trade for real estate, one 1914 Overland, one Model 25-B Buick, one Model M Chalmers, one 1915 Overland roadster. E. L. Anderson, 1651 Robinson avenue, Phone 479-Y. 20-6t

FOR SALE:—Mare weighs 1400 lbs., age 7 years. Snyder's grocery, Lakeside. 25-3t

FOR SALE:—9 good building lots 30x120, East Sixth street. Street paved. Sidewalks laid. See Mark Crawford, Room 25, First National Bank Bldg. 25-6

FOR SALE—Iron safe, good condition, medium size, very cheap. See A. J. Fuller, 419 Masonic Temple. 25-3t

FOR SALE:—Good driving horse and runabout. 524 7th St. 25-3

FOR SALE:—Nice bay family mare at Bridges' livery stable, weighs 1100 lbs. Inquire Dick Lowry. Price $100. 25-6t

FOR SALE:—Model coal ,range with or without gas burners. 1115 9th St. 25-3t

FOR SALE: 5 passenger Chalmers in perfect condition except tires; comfortable, economical as to gasoline. Only been run 4500 miles. A most excellent investment to anyone desiring a first class family car. Phone 25. 25-3t

FOR SALE:—Acre lots, cheap. Also other lots, very reasonable, in Nauvoo addition. J. S. Rapp, phone 5402-L. 24-4t

FOR SALE:—One ideal two compartment Fireless Cooker. Just new. Phone 911-Y. 22-tf

FOR SALE:—Small place, near street car, good house; cellar, well and outbuildings. Price reasonable. Alfred Davisson, Mabert Road. 22-5t

FOR SALE:—Nice 5 room cottage, bath, on Ninth between Waller and Grimes avenue, renting for $25 a month; loans arranged. $3000.
P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview, Phone 1408-L. 22-tf

FOR SALE:—Hand made buggies, vehicles, surries, phaetons and spring wagons of all kinds at wholesale prices. Carroll Vehicle Co., corner 3rd and Gay. 23-5t

FOR SALE:—Stock of groceries; good location.
1914 Model Ford touring car. Phone 753-R or 2368 8th. 23-5t

FOR SALE:—Good big horse. See Adam Prau. Home phone 407. 24-3t

FOR SALE:—New 6 room bungalow, bath, electricity, furnace, street assessment paid, auto drive way from street, garage, lot 40 ft. front. Baird avenue, $4100.
P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview, Phone 1408-L.

FOR SALE:—No. 1 black horse, 8 years old, weighs 1200 lbs., will sell cheap. 1133 12th. 19-tf

THE HAZLEBECK CO.
General Insurance
819 Gallia St. Phone 70

FOR SALE:—1 E. M. F. touring car, first class shape, $275.
One Ford touring car.
Thos. W. Fickling Garage, 411 Front St., Phone 1363-L. 8-tf

FOR SALE:—Sound and young bay mare; free and stylish roadster; also delivery wagon and harness. 1801 8th or Phone 432. 16-tf

FOR SALE:—Small supply of stereotype mats. Better than paper for laying under carpets. The Times Office. 4-tf

FOR SALE:—Red and yellow sweet potato plants $1.25 a thousand delivered. Address K. B. Darragh, Buena Vista, O. 23-6t

FOR SALE:—Baled clover hay. Phone 2803-X. 24 3t

FOR SALE:—77 acre farm, five room house with furnace, water in house, good barn, three minutes walk to new interurban and ten minutes walk to N. & W. depot. Price $4500. Wm. Hock, Franklin Furnace, Ohio. 26-2t

FOR SALE:—A No. 1 fresh cow, young, and a good milker. Call or write Samuel Ray, Rushtown, Ohio. 26-1t

FOR SALE:—Farm 140 acres, 40 acres bottom, 200,000 saw timber, well water, 40 acres meadow, good barn, 5 room house, near Harrisonville. Will trade for city property. Other farms, houses, lots, Portsmouth, Sciotoville, Longmeadow. Five room house, 3 acres, Franklin Furnace. W. H. Shonkwiler, 2031 17th. Phone 1455-X. 26-6t

FOR SALE:—Tomorrow (Saturday) we will sell you a choice of 2½ quart Diamond Aluminum Kettles or Covered Sauce Pans worth 80c, for 59c—for Saturday only and only one to a customer. Central Hardware Co. 26-1t

FOR SALE:—Squabs from Giant Cross Pigeons. 1530 Findlay. Phone 1294 R. 26-3t

FOR SALE:—Or trade, J. I. Case Separator in good threshing condition. John Graff, Henley, Ohio. Phone 4202-R. 26-6t

FOR SALE:—Good 4 room cottage, East Fourth St., splendid neighborhood. $2250 will buy it.
26-2t LEW LOWRY.

FOR SALE:—32 foot lot, with 4 room alley house renting at $10 per month, on Robinson avenue. A rare bargain at $1600. This offer good for ten days.
26-2t LEW LOWRY.

FOR SALE:—Findlay street property near proposed new N. & W. depot. Splendid chance for investment. Act quickly if interested.
26-2t LEW LOWRY.

FOR SALE—Seven room cottage in good condition. West Fifth St. Bargain at $2650.
26-2t LEW LOWRY.

FOR SALE:—Nice 5 room cottage, bath, lot 40 ft. front. Baird avenue, $3100.
Lot 47x120 North Waller, $1050.
5 room cottage, bath, corner lot and store room and three large living rooms, $4000.
P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview. Phone 1408-L. 26-2t

FOR SALE:—Or trade for city property, farm 15 miles west of Portsmouth, two miles north of Henley, Duck Run pike, 168 acres, 15 acres woods, 6 room house, orchard; well that never goes dry. Convenient to church and school. $2000.
P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview. Phone 1408-L. 26-2t

FOR SALE:—Touring car, 1915 model, bargain. Auto Repair Shop, Lincoln St., between 7th and 8th St. 24-tf

FOR SALE:—A handsome set of electrical engineering books. Phone 543 during the day. 24-tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—Nice room with bath. 712 Washington. 26-3t

FOR RENT—Business room, Gallia and Lincoln. J. A. Maxwell. 26-tf

TARPAULINS
FOR SALE OR RENT
All new, all sizes
Grimes-Stritmatter Grain Co.
Both Phones 106

THE SCHMIDT-WATKINS CO.
Plumbing, Heating and Electrical Contractors
934 GALLIA STREET
Home Phone 578 Bell 383

P. E. ROUSH
Painter and Paper Hanger
UNION WORKMEN
Phone 1015 A 646 Ninth St.

THE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, May 26—Today's dull session was characterized by further depreciation of quoted values, except in a few isolated specialties.

Further irregular tendencies were manifested at the opening of today's market, international issues and shipping shares, as well as some specialties recording lower prices. These were partly counter-balanced by gains of a point or more for Reading, American Smelting, Chandler Motors and some of the inactive stocks.

Studebaker opened with a slight gain but promptly reached almost two points. Baldwin was lower on disappointment in connection with the deferred dividend. Trading was light and circumscribed.

Trading quickened later, dealings shifting to the rubber group with a gain of almost two points for U. S. Rubber. Industrial Alcohol also resumed its activity, rising over two points, with as much for Continental Can and a further gain for American Coal Products. Reading added another point to its opening advance but other rails were dull and mostly heavy, while United States Steels continued in its narrow groove. Operations dwindled again at mid day with greater price irregularity.

Bonds were steady.

Trading became more listless in the final hour, some of the motors and inactive specialties making gains, with no material changes elsewhere. The closing was irregular.

CLOSING PRICES NEW YORK STOCKS

Allis Chalmers 27½.
American Beet Sugar 73⅞.
American Can 56¾.
American Car & Foundry 60⅞.
American Locomotive 73⅛.
American Smelting and Refining, Ex Div. 99½.
American Sugar Refining 112⅞
American Tel. & Tel. 129⅜.
Anaconda Copper 35.
Atchison 105½.
Baldwin Locomotive 88¾.
Baltimore & Ohio 91¾.
Bethlehem Steel 440 B.
Brooklyn Rap. Transit 87½.
Butte and Superior 93¾.
California Petroleum 22½.
Canadian Pacific 179½.
Central Leather 55⅞.
Chesapeake & Ohio 62¾.
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul 98.
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry. 20⅝.
Chino Copper 53½.
Colorado Fuel & Iron 43½.
Corn Products 19¼.
Crucible Steel 85.
Denver & Rio Grande pfd 27¾.
Erie 39.
General Electric 171.
Goodrich Co. 76½.
Great Northern Ore Ctfs 41.
Great Northern pfd 121¾.
Illinois Central 104.
Interborough Consol. Corp. 18.
Inter. Harvester, N. J. 111¼ B.
Inter. Merc. Mar. pfd ctfs 92½.
Lackawanna Steel 70¼.
Lehigh Valley 80.
Louisville & Nashville 128 B.
Maxwell Motor Co. 86.
Mexican Petroleum 109⅜.
Miami Copper 36⅛.
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd 12.
Missouri Pacific 6¼.
National Lead 67⅞.
New York Central 105½.
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford 61.
Norfolk & Western 126¼.
Northern Pacific 113⅞.
Pennsylvania 57½.
Ray Consolidated Copper 23.
Reading 102⅞.
Republic Iron & Steel 48.
Southern Pacific 100⅛.
Southern Railway 22½.
Studebaker Co. 139⅞.
Texas Co. 192 B.
Tennessee Copper 44½.
Union Pacific 139¾.
United States Rubber 56⅝.
United States Steel 85⅝.
United States Steel pfd 117.
Utah Copper 81.
Wabash Pfd B 28⅝.
Western Union 96⅛.
Westinghouse Electric 62.
Kennecott Copper 55¼.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Chicago, Ill., May 26—Wheat prices ran up today influenced by reports that the western third of Kansas, where heretofore the crop outlook has been excellent was showing rapid deterioration.

The opening which ranged for a shade to 1⅛c higher with July at $1.10½ to $1.10⅞ and September at $1.11⅛ to $1.11⅞ was followed by a decided further advance.

The close was steady at 1⅛ to 1¼ to 1⅜ net advance.

Corn responded to the strength of wheat. Ideal weather for growth was virtually ignored. After opening ¼ off to ¼ up the market scored a substantial gain all around.

The close was weak ⅜ lower to ¾ higher as compared with yesterday's finish.

Damage reports from the southwest lifted oats. The Oklahoma crop was reported to be nearly a complete failure.

Provisions gave way owing to a decline in the hog market. On the descent, however, demand sprang up for lard and ribs.

OPENING

Chicago, Ill., May 26—Wheat: May, $1.09¾@1.09¾; July, $1.10½; Sept., $1.11⅞@1.11⅝.

Corn: May 70⅞@70⅝c; July, 70¼@70c; Sept., 69¼@69c.

Oats: May, 42c; July, 40⅜@40¼c; Sept., 38⅝c.

CLOSING

Chicago, Ill., May 26—Wheat: July, $1.11¾; Sept., $1.12⅝c.

Corn: July, 70¼c; Sept., 69⅞c.

Oats: July, 40⅞c; Sept., 39c.

PROVISIONS CLOSE

Pork: July, $22.55; Sept., $22.30.

Lard: July $12.47; Sept., $12.62.

Ribs: July, $12.45; Sept., $12.55.

TOLEDO GRAIN

Toledo, May 26.—Wheat: Cash $1.17¾; July $1.18½; Sept. $1.19⅜.

Corn: Cash 3, yellow, 72¼c; July 72⅛c; Sept. 72c.

Oats: Cash 45c; July 43½c; Sept. 41⅛c.

Rye: No. 2, 97c.

Cloverseed: Prime cash $8.70; Oct. $8.77; Dec. $8.70.

Alsike: Prime cash and Aug. $9.50.

Timothy: Prime cash $3.60; Sept. $3.47.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

CHICAGO

Chicago, May 26.—Hogs: Receipts 21,000, slow; bulk $9.65 to $9.40 to $9.85; heavy $9.30 to $9.85; rough $9.30 to $9.45; pigs $7.30 to $9.20.

Cattle: Receipts 1000, weak; native beef cattle $8.40 to $10.75; stockers and feeders $6.25 to $9.10; cows and heifers $4.75 to $9.85; calves $8.50 to $11.75.

Sheep: Receipts 11,000; weak; wethers $7.30 to $9.30; lambs $8.40 to $12.35; springs $10.60 to $12.40.

PITTSBURGH

Pittsburgh, May 26.—Hogs: Receipts 3,000, lower; heavies $10.00 to $10.10; heavy yorkers $9.80 to $9.85; light yorkers $9.50 to $9.70; pigs $9.00 to $9.25.

Sheep and Lambs: Receipts 2,500; lower; top sheep $8.25; top lambs $10.10.

Calves: Receipts 200, steady; top $12.50.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, May 26. Cattle: Receipts 200, steady.

Calves: Receipts 300, market steady.

Sheep and Lambs: Receipts 1600; 50 lower; good to choice lambs $10.00 to $10.25.

Hogs; Receipts 2500, market 5 to 10 lower; yorkers $9.80; heavies and mediums $9.85; pigs $9.25; roughs $8.80; stags $7.25.

CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, May 26.—Hogs: Receipts 7,200, slow; packers and butchers $9.50 to $9.75; common to choice $7.50 to $9.10; pigs and lights $6.00 to $9.25.

Cattle: Receipts 800, steady; calves strong $5.00 to $11.25.

Sheep: Receipts 2500, weak; $4.00 to $7.75; lambs slow, $10.60 to $12.50.

PRODUCE MARKET

CHICAGO

Chicago, May 26.—Butter: Unsettled; creamery 26 to 29c.

Eggs: Lower; receipts 24,345 cases: firsts 20¾ to 21½c; ordinary firsts 18½ to 20c. At mark cases included 20 to 21c.

Potatoes: Unsettled; old receipts 18 cars; Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Dakota whites 95c to $1.05; Minnesota and Dakota Ohios 90c to $1.00; new receipts 8 cars; Florida barrelled Rose $6.00 to $6.25; Texas, Louisiana and Alabama sacked Triumphs $1.70 to $1.80.

Poultry: Alive higher; fowls 19½c.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, O., May 26.—Butter—Creamery, extras in solids, 32½@33c; prints 33½@34c; firsts 31½@32c; seconds 30½@31c; process extras, 28@½c; do seconds 26@½c; dairy extras 26@27c; packing stock No. 1, 22@23c; No. 2, 20@21c; oleomargarine, natural color high grade, 20c in pound prints; white, 18c; low grade, 15c.

Cheese—American whole milk, fancy twins and flats 18½@19c; do choice, 18c; brick fancy, 19@20c; choice, 18c; Swiss fancy, 27@28c; limburger, 17@18c; hand cheese, 75@80c per box.

Eggs—fresh gathered firsts, free cases, 22c; do extra firsts 23½c.

Poultry—live chickens, 19½@20c; spring broilers, 30c to 35c; Guinea squabs, $4 a dozen; do old, $3.

Potatoes: Choice white, $1.25; jobbing drayloads, 1c in small way $1.30 a bu; Hastings potatoes $6.25 to $6.50 a barrel; Texas cobblers $1.80 a bu; Triumphs $1.60 a bu.

Sweet potatoes, Delawares, $1 @$1.10 a hamper.

SUGAR

New York, May 26.—Raw sugar firm; centrifugal 6.36c; molasses 5.62c; refined firm; fine granulated 7.65c.

There was a sharp recovery in sugar futures prompted by the firmer spot market and renewed export inquiry for granulated. Trade interests and commission houses were good buyers. At noon prices were 9 to 23 points higher.

The closing was steady and 6@21 points higher. Sales 16,650 tons. May, 5.41c; July, 5.46c; Sept., 5.49c.

GASOLINE AND ALCOHOL

Cincinnati, May 26.—Alcohol: Wood 95 percent, 68c; denatured 188 percent, 65c.

Gasoline: Tank wagon 24c; 70 percent 29c.

SPOT COTTON

New York, May 26.—Spot cotton quiet middling uplands 12.90c; no sales.

COTTON

New York, N. Y., May 26—Cotton futures closed steady; July, 12.76c; Oct., 12.84c; Dec., 13.01c; Jan., 13.06c; Mar., 13.20c.

COFFEE

New York, May 26—Coffee: Rio No. 7, 9¾c; futures steady. May, 8.39c; Dec., 8.77c.

MONEY

New York, May 26—Call money steady; high 2½; low 2; ruling rate 2¼; last loan 2½; closing bid 2; offered at 2.

OHIO STOCKS

Columbus, O., May 26—Closing prices: Ohio Cities Gas, 260 to 264. City Service Common 278 to 280; pfd. 87¾ to 88⅛.

FORMER YALE PRESIDENT DEAD

New Haven, Conn., May 26.—Rev. Dr. Timothy Dwight, former president of Yale University, died at his home here today.

DALLAS, TEXAS CHOSEN

Atlantic City, N. J., May 26.—Dallas, Texas, was selected today as the place of meeting of the 1917 general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America.

BRANDEIS NOMINATION VIRTUALLY ASSURED

Washington, D. C., May 26.—An agreement was reached among senators today under which the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis to the supreme court would be finally disposed of next week without discussion in the senate. The specific date will be fixed later. Those opposing Mr. Brandeis admitted the nomination was virtually certain of confirmation.

HAYPORT

Mrs. George McClave was called to Portsmouth last Friday by the serious illnes of her daughter, Mrs. Cora Strother.

Miss Grace Burke, of Portsmouth, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Burke.

Mrs. James Vanhoose and children are visiting relatives on Big Sandy.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Henry and children, of Ironton, spent Sunday very pleasantly with Mrs. Annie Lehman.

Dr. George Marshall and wife motored to Portsmouth Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Berkeley and children spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bryan and son and Mr. and Mrs. John Napper, of Portsmouth, spent Sunday at Burke's Point.

Will Burke, of the Peerless, was mingling with friends in the vicinity Sunday.

Messrs. Will Ranshahous, Paul Sherman and George Preston, and Misses Rita Oakes and Margery Mackey were the Sunday afternoon guests of Miss Minnie Burns.

Miss Lorinda Preston was the guest of Miss Helen Mackey, of the Burg, Sunday.

Mrs. Ella McClave, of Edgington, Ky., is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. E. Mackey, of Wheelersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Lamb, of Huntington, W. Va., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Burke, of Franklin Furnace, and their daughter, Mrs. John Oakes, of Wheelersburg.

H. H. Barney was taking the enumeration in the Wheelersburg school district last week.

SCIOTO

D. M. Rambo, of Salem, is working at the carpenter trade in Portsmouth.

Rev. Bostwick filled his regular appointment at Salem U. B. church Sunday afternoon. He will preach there again in two weeks.

Wm. Powell and family were the guests of Frank Debo and wife, Sunday.

Clyde Copley was calling on Sanford Martin and family, Sunday afternoon.

Jacob Seth and Delmar Powell are painting the residence of W. B. Brown, of Stockdale.

Everett Wilson, of Salem, has purchased a fine Ford machine, which he is trying out these days.

Russell Wilson, of Columbus, was calling on home folks Saturday and Sunday.

Most of the farmers in this vicinity have finished their corn planting.

John Alexander, of Carmel, has been suffering from stomach trouble for the pus tweek.

Road Supt. I. E. Dixon is working the roads in his district this week.

Francis Warren, who has been sick since last winter, is not improving very fast.

Brice Jacobs was the guest of Goldie Alexander, Sunday.

John Kronk, of the Glades, was visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Kronk, of Carmel, Saturday and Sunday.

GEPHART

A big crowd attended the ice cream social given at the Gephart school house Saturday night. All reported a good time.

Mrs. Clark and Mrs. John Colegrove spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. F. M. Mault.

Edward Hunter and Earl Marsh, of Scioto Furnace, were calling on their "lady friends" Sunday evening at this place.

Miss Winnie Jones, of Dry Ridge, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Edith Hunter.

Mrs. Albett Lane spent Sunday with Mrs. Will Ach, of Scioto Furnace.

Miss Mary Spray, of Tick Ridge, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Audrey Mault.

Money TO LOAN
On Portsmouth, New Boston and Sciotoville Real Estate
The Portsmouth German Building and Loan Association Co.
EDGAR F. DRAPER, Sec.
MASONIC TEMPLE

Whitaker-Glessner Co.
First Mortgage 5% Gold Bonds
We offer subject to prior sale $7,000.00 of the above bonds, being a part of our issue of $3,000,000.00, from the proceeds of which, after retiring the old bonds, a blast furnace is to be built and other improvements are to be made at the Portsmouth works.
These bonds are issued in $500.00 and $1000.00 denomination and can be obtained from us on the partial payment plan.
Price on application
McClure & Crawford
Room 25 First National Bank Bldg.

WILL RENT—For summer modern 8 room furnished home, every convenience including sleeping porch. Mrs. Effie Walker, Phone 435. 1606 5th. 26-2t

FOR RENT:—5 room cottage with gas. 2020 6th St. Phone 1743-X. 26-2t

FOR RENT;—4 room brick cottage. Second near Waller, good neighborhood, newly papered and painted, $14 per month.
P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview. Phone 1408-L. 26-2t

FOR RENT:—5 room house, gas and water. 852 4th. 26-2t

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms with gas and electric light with privilege of bath and phone. 1140-F or 928 3rd. 22-tf

FOR RENT:—4 room house rear of 1715 Robinson avenue. Call 421-X. 24-3t

FOR RENT:—3 room house in rear of 1911 8th, water and gas. $5 per month. 24-tf

FOR RENT:—Light housekeeping rooms. 1642 Fifth St. 24-tf

FOR RENT:—5 room house. 1537 5th. 25-3t

FOR RENT:—Flat with bath, $12. Phone 38?-L. 25-2t

FOR RENT:—3 unfurnished rooms and garage. In rear 1320 Gallia. Phone 1733-W. 18-tf

FOR RENT:—Or lease, theatre. Phone 110. Rudolph Kountz.

FOR RENT—Room, bath, modern conveniences. 614 Washington. 5-tf

FOR RENT:—3 room house in rear of 534 6th. 18-tf

FOR RENT:—Two nice rooms furnished for light housekeeping. All conveniences. 1117 Gallia. 25-tf

FOR RENT:—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, with bath. 1020 Gallia. 25-3t

FOR RENT:—One front bed room with bath for 2 men. 1332 Center St. 25-2t

FOR RENT:—2 nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, all conveniences. 1024 Gallia. 24-3t

FOR RENT:—Large front bed room, all conveniences. 1024 Gallia. 24-3t

FOR RENT—2 or 3 furnished house keeping rooms. Hilltop, all conveniences, 1523 Mound St. 22-tf

FOR RENT:—Good large furnished room upstairs with bath and all convenience; five minutes walk from postoffice; one square from street car; references required. 1202 Second St. 4-tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished up to date rooms. 1320 Gallia. Phone 1733-W. 18-tf

FOR RENT:—4 upstairs rooms, water and gas. 4 Union St. 19-tf

FOR RENT:—5 room flat, modern, 720 6th. One half square from postoffice. Phone 483-Y. J. T. McCormick, 629 5th. 11-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished bed room conveniences. 831 8th. 17-tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping and sleeping. All conveniences. 529 3rd St. 20-tf

LOST

LOST:—Triangle watch charm, with initials L. J. W. Return to Patterson Paper Box Co. Reward. 25-3t

FOUND:—New hammer at 19th and Waller. Letters H. and F. cut on it. Owner call at Times office and pay for ad. 26-1t

LOST:—Black Cockerel Spaniel answering to name of Queen. Finder please notify L. H. Stewart, Cut Rate Drug store. 26-2t

LOST:—Georgette crepe waist by mistake was thrown in garbage box in rear of 502 Union street. Call 502 Union. Phone 1250-X. Reward. 25-3t

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Dog Was Killed

Charles I. Russell reported to the police that a dog that had been poisoned was writhing in agony in front of his barber shop at 1019 Clay street Friday morning. He was given permission to shoot it and he promptly dispatched the canine.

To Extend Sewer

The public service department has awarded a contract to Jobie Philipps for the extension of the Broadway sanitary sewer to the edge of Lawson's Run.

CATARRH MOST PREVALENT HERE

Indoor Worker More Susceptible to Common Diseases Than Others.

Probably the most distressing and prevalent disease to which Americans are heirs is catarrhal affection of the mucous membranes. According to medical authorities the indoor worker is more susceptible and is the worst sufferer from catarrhal conditions, of which there are many kinds.

Catarrh of the stomach and kidneys is one of the most common causes of dyspepsia and Bright's disease, and catarrhal conditions of the nose and throat often lead to deafness. Nine out of ten cases of deafness can be traced to catarrh, it is said.

Frequently the lungs become affected by the extension of catarrhal inflammation by way of the bronchial tubes to the lung substance.

The mental and physical state of the catarrh sufferers is, indeed, very unfortunate, and it is surprising to know what an immense number of people among those who reside in such cities as Portsmouth are suffering from this almost universal malady when they believe something else is the cause of their trouble.

The symptoms of catarrh are: offensive breath, constant sniffling, discharge from the nose, headaches, full head, pains in the stomach, unsound digestion, loss of appetite, broken sleep, and a great liability to catching colds and sore throats.

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Women in the Trades.

Our medieval forefathers were quite accustomed to women workers in many of the trades. Chaucer and Langland use many words with characteristic feminine suffixes, which indicate the trades then open to them, as, for instance, baxteres (female bakers) and souteresse (female shoemakers). There were also female candlemakers, wiremakers and bookbinders, and in an act of 1464 complaints are noticed of the women silk manufacturers of London against the Lombard merchants.—London Globe.

Savings Bank

There are 2,160 Savings Banks in the U. S.

There are 11,109,499 depositors.

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SCIOTOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

SCIOTOVILLE

Mrs. Wshington Means and daughters, Nellie and Marcella, spent Thursday with their mother, Mrs. W. M. Rose, of Main street.

Noah Bender, contractor, is building a bungalow on his lot in Linwood.

Mr. C. E. Forinash and family have moved from Long Meadow to their new home on Market street.

Mrs. Arlos May, of Portsmouth, was the guest of Miss Amasetta Price, of Jackson street, Thursday.

The M. E. Kensington club met at the home of Mrs. Clyde Sennett, of Center street, Thursday afternoon. Those present were Mesdames Horace Bélout, Nelson Watkins, Edgar Burkhardt and Wendell Taylor, Misses Ella Taylor and Myrtle Cunningham. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The next meeting will be at the home of Miss Laura Brant, of Bloom street.

Mrs. W. R. Bailey, of Jackson street, left this morning for Dayton to visit relatives there for a few days.

Wilbur Stout is home from Columbus to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. Ruth Stout, of Main street.

George Lemon, contractor, has begun work on the basement of Dr. J. W. Hutchens' new home on Main and Market streets.

Miss Louise McCall, of Sciotoville, and Miss Edith Zuhars, of Portsmouth, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Williams, of Ironton, for a few days.

Miss Anna Van Dusen, of Wheelersburg, is visiting Mrs. Thomas Harrison, of Broadway street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Daniels, of Fourth street, are the proud parents of a fine baby boy, who arrived Thursday morning.

The Seniors of the High school will give their class play, "Mr. Bob," Friday and Saturday evenings at the Odd Fellows' hall. The students taking part are: Paul Bahner, Arthur Duvendeck, Chester Reed, Charles Marting, Thelma Dever, Mary Agnes Cunningham, Margaret Forby and Rachel Creamer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eakins, Mr. and Mrs. John Dressler and Miss Ella Taylor and Miss Myrtle Cunningham motored to Ironton Thursday evening in Mr. Eakins' machine.

Miss Lucy Lynn, assistant superintendent of the Hempstead hospital of Portsmouth, took dinner with Mrs. Ed Ketter, of Eastern avenue, Thursday evening.

Miss Margaret Cunningham delightfully entertained Class No. 5 of the Christian church at the home of her sister, Mrs. Hilman Boyd, on Thursday evening. The evening was spent in games and music, after which refreshments of strawberries, cake and lemonade were served. Those preesnt were Mesdames J. W. Hutchins, Joe Rider, Winifred Bennett, Sophia Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brock and daughter, Lolita.

Miss Inez Fullerton, of Huntington, is visiting relatives and friends here for several days.

Gail Creamer, son of Rev. and Mrs. George Creamer, of Main street, is seriously ill, suffering with tonsilitis and a gathering in his ear.

Charles Leichner and S. E. Johnston, of Jackson street, were business visitors to Portsmouth, Thursday.

The scholars of the first to the sixth grades of school are planning for an out-door meeting, which will be given Friday, June 2. All are invited.

WHEELERSBURG

Members of Concord Grange will enjoy one of their most unique meetings Saturday evening when a comic dress parade will be given by members in McCurdy hall. Every member who attends the meeting is expected to be garbed in a comic costume. A prize of $5 will be given the most comically dressed person in the hall. Only members of the Grange and their families wll be present.

C. O. Massa, of the Sheridan-Kirk Co., arrived from Cleveland Thursday evening in a white five ton truck for the company. Mr. Massa made the trip in twenty-seven hours.

Miss Anna Dixon, of Portsmouth, is visiting friends at Wheelersburg.

Mrs. Frank McCurdy and Mrs. Clara Flehr were in Portsmouth Friday on business.

Miss Margaret Craynon, of Russell, Ky., is visiting friends in Wheelersburg this week.

Charles Schneider, grocer, was a business visitor to Portsmouth, Friday.

Mrs. E. O. McCowen has as guests her mother, Mrs. S. F. Smith, her sister, Mrs. John Bowser, of Portsmouth, and Mrs. T. E. Smith, of New Boston.

The Little Light Bearers of the M. E. church met at the home of Rev. J. C. Hager Friday afternoon. Miss Charlotte Flehr is the teacher.

Mrs. Alice Finney, of Sciotoville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Louis Snyder, of Main street.

Men's Italian Leghorn Hats $2.90 and $4.00. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

A Lightning Change Artist.

The rapidity with which chameleons change their color is marvelous. Too gather one from an outdoor shrub and it immediately becomes dark, almost black, hissing and with its mouth wide open, threatening to bite. Meanwhile it is never still, but continues to crawl upward whenever possible—up you, up your sleeve, always upward. By degrees the angry black changes into whatever color is nearest. If one's dress is of a brownish color so is the chameleon's.

Assyrian Seals.

The ancient Assyrians nearly 6,000 years ago put in moist clay their seals, engraved in intaglio upon precious stones, on chests and doors, in order to prevent their being opened. There were no locks or keys in those days. If they wished to send a private letter they would often seal it with a hippogriff, which fabulous winged horse was regarded as the emblem of secrecy. Centuries later the Greeks and Romans adopted similar devices for the same purpose.

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MR. DAVIDSON OUT AGAIN

Paul Davidson is able to be around again after a three weeks' illness with rheumatism, and his friends are certainly glad to see him out again.

True Blue.

The expression "true blue," which we hear so often, has not even an English parentage, but is said to have been a Spanish saying which meant that the blood that filled the veins of the aristocracy of Spain was blue in color, while that of the inferior morals was more or less black, and the proverb that "true blue will never stain" instead of meaning, as it is generally supposed, that "a noble heart will never disgrace itself," actually refers to the "blue aprons" worn by butchers on account of their not showing blood stains—a far jump this from the blue blood of the haughty Spanish aristocrat to the humble apron of a butcher's boy.—London Express.

Prodigality of Life In Ancient Egypt.

The reckless prodigality with which in ancient Egypt the upper classes squandered away the labor and lives of the people is perfectly startling. In this respect, as the monuments yet remaining abundantly prove, they stand alone and without a rival. We may form some idea of the almost incredible waste when we hear that 2,000 men were occupied for three years in carrying a single stone from Elephantine to Sais, that the canal of the Red sea alone cost the lives of 120,000 Egyptians and that to build one of the pyramids required the labor of 360,000 men for twenty years.—Westminster Gazette.

Curious Tombstones.

On a gravestone in the parish churchyard of Great Yarmouth, England, there is sculptured the unusual representation of a clown seated in a tub, which is being drawn down a river by two swans. Beneath this stone lies one of the many victims who were drowned years ago by the collapse of an iron suspension bridge on which they had crowded to see a clown pass underneath in the manner described. The feat, which was a novel form of advertisement by a traveling circus, was actually performed, but the rush of people from one side of the bridge to the other after the man had passed under caused the tragic ending.

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GIVE PERMIT FOR STREET KARNIVAL

After being waited upon by a committee the city board of control Friday gave a permit to the Junior Order of United American Mechanics for the use of the lower end of York Place for holding a carnival the week of June 5.

The Metropolitan Shows, now on its way from Winston Salem, N. C., with stop-overs at Bluefield, W. Va., and Ironton, will give the carnival for the local order.

The Junior carnival committee is composed of Messrs. Barr Sullivan, Pete Yeager, Paul Bihlman and Carl Reinert.

TERMINALS

Carna Duffey, of the Y. M. C. A. restaurant department, started on a ten days' vacation Saturday.

Harry Boyd, young son of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Boyd, of Gallia street, who recently recovered from blood poison in his right foot is still suffering with severe pains in the member. The attending physician will operate on the foot Sunday morning, as it is thought a splinter of wood is still in the foot.

All members of the Junior League of the Tabernacle, are urged to meet Sunday morning at the Tabernacle at nine o'clock. Inez Foster will be in charge.

Louis Silvey, of Beech street, continues seriously ill with blood poison in his left arm. The arm is giving him considerable pain.

Mr. Edward Wamsley, of 2802 Gallia street, who has been seriously ill for some time is getting along nicely. He was able to be up and around Friday. Mrs Wamsley underwent an operation at Hempstead hospital recently.

Mrs. James Wilson, wife of James Wilson, assistant secretary at the Y. M. C. A., is confined to her home, 2813 Gallia street, with illness.

Rev. L. L. Magee, district superintendent of the Methodist Episcopal church, preached a strong sermon on "Family Religion" at the Tabernacle last night. Following the sermon, three new members, Ben F. Griffith, Everett E. Green and Mrs. E. B. Melzger were taken in by the pastor, Rev. O. L. King. Rev. Magee then proceeded with the organization of the church. The charter membership totals 91, with the following official board elected: Trustees:—J. W. Underwod, John W. Chick, Homer Grimm, Wm. Held, Ernest Fain, John F. Henderson, W. T. Carter, E. F. Rideout, J. W. Jordan. Stewards:—Ernest Fain, secretary-treasurer; Carna Duffy, Mrs. Charles Higgins, Mrs. Bernard Hogan. Class Leaders:— John Henderson, Frank Lee.

Sunday school superintendent—Mrs. O. L. King. Junior League superintendent—Inez Foster.

The work of raising funds for the new church will be pushed with vigor for it is desired to have the church up before cold weather. The new church will be known by the title "East End M. E. church."

Changefulness.

"A wise man may alter his opinion."

"Yes," replied Senator Sorghum. "But it's like changing a twenty dollar bill. If you're careless about it you finish with nothing worth mentioning."—Washington Star.

Local Men Honored

Dr. W. D. Trepner and H. M. Allen, of this city, were elected committee men for Scioto county at a meeting of District Number 4, of the Ohio Independent Telephone Association held in Chillicothe Thursday. Eleven counties were represented at the meeting. C. H. Doan and C. W. Kugelman, of this city, also attended the meeting.

House of Commons Bulls.

Sir John Simon scored a "bull" in a speech in the house of commons. "The reason I call this bill the thin end of the wedge," he remarked, "is that by itself it cannot stand on two legs." Mr. Balfour once spoke of "an empty theater of unsympathetic auditors," Lord Randolph Churchill of "a mere flesbite in the ocean of our expenditure," and Mr. Gladstone warned an M. P. "not to shase his head in the teeth of his own words."—London Standard.

Shrill Voices.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—It is said when the shrill voice of the peacock is heard a change of weather is probable. Mr. Crimsonbeak—Well, I know another shrill voice that denotes a storm, all right.—Yonkers Statesman.

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We have sold in Portsmouth and vicinity in the past year about 100 pianos and can give you reference from some of the best people in Portsmouth that will tell you they have saved from $100 to $150 on their pianos. Smith Company is one of the largest wholesale and retail dealers in America, having stores in Pittsburgh, Pa., Cincinnati, O., Columbus, O., Detroit, Mich., Akron, O., Roanoke, Va., and several other places. Pianos manufactured by the hundreds and can sell you a piano for less than some dealers have to pay for them and still make a small profit. Come to this sale and settle the piano proposition for life.

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Dry Rouge Theatrical No. 18; small, 10c; large 25c
Rouge Theatrical No. 18, in mirror box, containing Powder Puff 35c
Extract, per bulk ounce 50c
Face Powder, brunette, flesh and white 50c
Liquid Face Powder, flesh and white, 3 1-2c ounces 50c
Sachet, per ounce 50c
Soap, delightfully perfumed, cake 25c
Talcum Powder, in flesh and white 25c
Toilet Water, 4-ounce size 75c
Vanishing Cream, in jar in carton 50c
Shampoo, head wash; 5-oz. package 25c

Ask us any questions you please about the Violet Dulce line.

FREE—A handsome Gilt Vanity Box, mirror top and puff with every purchase of Violet Dulce line Saturday only.

MERCHANT OF VENICE WILL BE GIVEN AT HIGH SCHOOL

Tickets are now on sale for the comedy Merchant of Venice, to be given Thursday and Friday evenings, June 1 and 2 in the high school auditorium. So far as is known, this will be the first time the Merchant of Venice has ever been performed in Portsmouth. Almost the entire Senior class will be engaged in the production, as musicians, street revellers and dancers. Costumes and music have been especially prepared for the occasion, and a faithful effort has been made to give this beautiful comedy the atmosphere of mediaeval Venice.

The complete cast of characters is as follows:

Duke of Venice.Vancil Alexander
Antonio, a merchant of Venice ..... William Trone
Bassanio, his friend; a suitor to Portia ..... Richard Prince
Friends to Antonio—
Salania ..... William Quinn
Salarino ..... Harry Wagner
Salerio ..... Ralph Hopper
Gratiano .....John Higgins
Lorenzo, in love with Jessica ..... James Breece
Shylock, a merchant of Venice ..... Lorin Cunningham
Jessica, his daughter ..... Helen Schoettle
Tubal, his friend ..... Harold Schirmann
Launcelot Gobbo, his servant ..... Russell Williams
Old Gobbo, father to Launcelot ..... Bruce Thomas
Portia, a rich heiress ..... Mildred McAfee
Nerissa, her waiting maid..... Mabel Knost
Balthazar, her servant ..... Walter Lewis
Court Ladies—Garnet Doll, Hazel Dressler, Margaret Hartshorn, Grace Hughes, Marie Trigg, Harriet Mitchell, Geraldine Hyland, Isabel Staten, Flora Wilson.
Guards—Homer Wilson and Paul Waller.
Dancers—Dorothy Wright and Ruth Baker.
Street Revellers—Elizabeth Huddleson, Violet Mathiott, Lois Wood, Beatrice Chick, Esther Taylor, Mary Yuenger.
Margery, old Gobbo's wife.... ..... Lucile Tracy
Beggar Woman ....Golda O'Neal
Flower Girl .....Edna Korth

Music will be furnished by the High School Orchestra. Incidental music by Ruth Crawford and Mildred Dunn.

Solo in Act III, "Who Is Sylvia?" (Schubert) by Hazel Mills.

SOCIETY

Ninety-four women were in attendance at the reception given by the Married Ladies' Society of the St. Mary's church, in the school hall. Music was included in the pleasures and delicious ice cream and cake were served. The committee in charge was the officers, Mrs. Albert Reitz, president Mrs. Adam Sommer and Mrs. Jacob Vetter, vice-presidents; and Mrs. John Snyder, secretary. Mrs. Louis Hurth also assisted in the hospitalities.

The Y. W. C. A. dressmaking class meets tonight at 7 o'clock.

Friday night supper class will take picnic lunch to the Beaches.

Many girls are beginning to make plans to spend a week or week-end at Crichton's Inn, at the Y. W. camp. It will be convenient to reach by train or auto.

The High School Club Girls expect to spend the first week. Others will come for the week-end. Tell all your girl friends about it and call up the Association if you are interested.

The Do Kai Kai Club of High school girls held a business meeting at the Asociation Thursday. Reports of membership and dues and money earned from candy sales and May Day programs were given.

Rev. and Mrs. S. Lindenmeyer's guest, Mrs. John Vosseler, has gone to her home in Cincinnati, after attending the recital last evening at the German Evangelical church.

Mrs. A. Funk and grand-daughter, Ruth Allen, of Jackson avenue, are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dancey Clark, of Ironton.

Mrs. Margaret Schreiber will leave June 5th for Dustin, Oklahoma, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Martin Cook.

Little Miss Rosemary Miller accompanied Mrs. Hattie Jenkins, Gladys Selby and Dorothy Berndt to Delaware yesterday to be present at the O. W. U. May Day exercises.

The J. W. D. Club met last evening at the home of Miss Eva Kilcoyne, on Eleventh street, where all the members were present, as follows: Misses Eva Kilcoyne, Carrie Kerns, Mabel Goodman, Rosella and Katherine Haffner, Matilda Vetter, Gertrude, Madeline, Agnes and Margaret Schmank, Angela Switalski, Mary Frantz. The pleasures ended with refreshments. The next meeting will be held at the home of the Misses Schmank.

Miss Louise Stahler, of Waverly, is here for a few days' visit.

Mrs. William Cramer and son, William, spent today in Cincinnati.

Dr. Howard Williamson is having his home on East Second street painted on the outside and the interior is also being decorated by Strauss and Von Lehrte, artistic decorators.

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Antiquity of Passports.

Passports are a very ancient institution. Some of the old monkish chroniclers mention as an achievement on the part of King Canute that he obtained free passes for his subjects through various continental countries on their pilgrimages to the shrines of the apostles Peter and Paul at Rome. Each pilgrim was furnished with a document in the nature of a passport called "Tructurin de Itinere Peragenta." Hall in his "Chronicle" makes reference to a system of passports in the time of Edward IV., and the enforcement of this system is known to have been very strict in the reigns of Elizabeth and James I.—London Mail.

Information Wanted.

Stella called on her newly married friend, Bella, and found her attired in a businesslike overall, while her arms were full of fashion papers and cookery books.

"Hello!" she exclaimed. "What are you going to make?"

"Some cakes," replied the young wife proudly.

"But why have you got out those fashion papers, as well as the cookery books?"

"You see," confessed Bella, rather shamefacedly, "I'm a bit of a novice at cooking. Tell me, do you make cakes from a recipe or a pattern?"—London Answers.

Crops and Gizzards.

Insects are oddly constructed atoms of animated nature, as a rule, and it depends altogether on the species as to internal makeup. In bees the crop is called the "honey bag." Insects with mandibles usually have a modified form of the gizzard so typical in the common barnyard fowl. In some cases this miniature gizzard is a perfect wonder shop, its inner surface being provided with "pads" covered with "horns" and "bristles" in great profusion. The grasshopper's gizzard is lined with innumerable rows of teeth, very minute, of course, but well developed, true teeth, nevertheless. The same may be said of crickets and other insects of that sort.

The Turkey Wing.

Did you know that you can start a fire by blowing it with a turkey's wing better than any other way in the world? The Indian women keep turkey wings for that purpose, and they say that once upon a time nearly all the fire of the earth had gone out, and the birds were sent to look for some little that was left up in the air. The turkey found some and fanned it with its wing until there was a blaze that burnt the top of the turkey's head and left the blisters that you can still see there. It burnt its wings, too, and ever after the Indian women have used the wings for this purpose.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Unselfishness.

"You know, a penny saved is a penny earned."

"That's the selfish view," replied the spendthrift. "When you let go of the penny somebody else gets the chance to earn it."—Washington Star.

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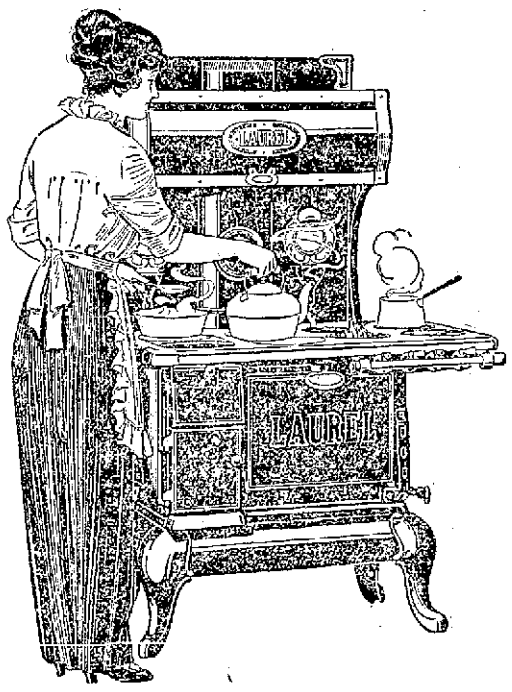

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DUTIEL'S CORNER

Rev. Fox, of Pedro, preached at Mt. Hope Saturday and Sunday.

Clayton Ruth made a business trip to Ironton Saturday.

Mrs. Jeff Hopper has left for a visit among relatives in different parts of the country.

Rev. Jacob Fox and Frank Hunter spent Sunday with James Ruth of Lyra.

Mrs. John Gifford, of Lick Run, was calling on Mrs. Martha Duteil, Sunday.

Frank Ruth and Wayne Blackburn were Portsmouth visitors recently.

Mrs. Will Jones and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hughes.

Mrs. Philip Besco was calling on Miss Maria Hearns, Wednesday.

Jeff Hopper and Charles Besco made a business trip to Wheelersburg, Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Munyun and children, Louella and William, Mrs. Frank Hunter and children, Willard and Violet, and Miss Mae Bennington spent Sunday with John Duteil and family.

Mrs. Frank Ruth spent Sunday with Mrs. Philip Besco.

Tommy Groh of Powellsville, was visiting with his cousins, Charles and Eddie Furrel recently.

Wayne Blackburn made a business trip to Kentucky last week.

Miss Lovell Gifford of Lick Run, spent Sunday with Miss Lucile Duteil.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Duteil and daughters, Gertrude and Elizabeth of Scioto Furnace, were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Duteil, Sunday.

MT. JOY

There is a better prospect for crops now since it rained Sunday night and Monday morning.

Arch and Ray Thompson have bought a restaurant at Winchester, O. They left to take charge of it Wednesday.

C. M. Blackburn's summer kitchen caught on fire Sunday. Jos. Parker and the owner extinguished the flames.

Preparations are being made for Decoratoin Day. The services will be held at the Presbyterian church.

P. J. Boyd assisted Chas. Boyd in planting corn two or three days this week.

D. A. Reynolds and T. P. Thompson are taking the enumeration of East and West Mt. Joy schools.

John Perry visited R. W. Boyd one night this week.

Elmer and Jos. McAllister are having their engine repaired at their sawmill.

Mrs. Ella Berry, of Jackson, is visiting Mr. Miles Williams and wife, at Mt. Joy.

Three "tramps" were on the Mt. Joy pike one day this week.

Mrs. C. M. Blackburn visited her mother Sunday.

Several people from this locality went to the newly organized Dry Fork Sunday school Sunday.

HAVERHILL

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Doty, a daughter, May 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fisher and daughter, Cora, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith, of Ironton.

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Davis were the Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs. G. W. Trumbo.

Mr. and Mrs Edwin Neese and Mrs William Grace were calling on Mrs. W. R. Dempsey, who has been very ill the past three weeks, with very slight improvement. Dr. Dan Gray, of Ironton, was called in consultation with Dr. Massie last Friday.

Mr .and Mrs. Earl Murdock attended the Ringling circus at Huntington, Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Brush was an Ironton shopper, Friday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Amos Seeley a boy, May 22nd.

Mrs. Eliza Jane Boynton is quite ill at her home. She is 92 years old.

Mrs. Mary Austin and Mrs. Hattie Davisson were Ironton visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Page and Mrs. Frank Looney were business visitors in Ironton, Wednesday.

Miss Fannie Rogers has returned from Richmondale, O., after spending several weeks visiting her sisters.

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WAITE TRIAL

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or expression to indicate that he recognized the enormity of his confession, he described minutely how he gave his victims arsenic, powdered glass, chloroform, disease germs and overdoses of medicine, how he burned fly paper and gave the residue, which he had read contained arsenic, to Mr. Peck, how he generated chlorine gas in the father-in-law's room to make his threat more sensitive to the germ cultures, how he dampened the sheets in his bed and drove him in a swift automobile with open windows and raised the windows of his room in midwinter in an unsuccessful effort to give him pneumonia.

Women were excluded from the court room when Dr. Arthur W. Waite resumed the witness stand today. Hundreds of persons in the corridor vainly tried to gain admission to the court room. Waite appeared pale but seemed to have braced himself to face the ordeal. His counsel, Walter R. Duel told Justice Hearn that he had only a few more questions to ask the dentist before the cross examination would begin.

"Did you ever try to kill your wife?" asked Mr. Deuel.

"No," replied Dr. Waite.

"Did you ever plan to kill her?"

"No, never."

"You never thought you might kill her?"

"I am not sure that I would not have killed her", said Waite.

Assistant District Attorney Brothers then began the cross examination of Dr. Waite. He first asked the prisoner:

"Do you recall telling me that you did not want your wife to learn of your relations with Mrs. Horton?"

"No," replied Waite.

Waite folded his arms, and smiled at the prosecutor as he denied having any conversation with Mr. Brothers in Dr. Waite's apartments. The dentist said he was surprised to learn that he had given a ring to his nurse.

"You were faking insanity in Bellevue were you not?" asked Mr. Brothers.

"I did not fake insanity at any time," said Waite.

"You faked insanity in the Tombs," said the prosecutor.

"Waite denied it and also denied that he deliberately planned a false defense or read books on nervous diseases.

"You have displayed a wonderful memory for events back to your sixth birthday but you have forgotten these recent incidents," said the prosecutor. "I don't remember", said Waite.

"You don't wish to remember even your letter to Margaret Horton?" asked Mr. Brothers.

Waite did not answer. The smile gradually faded from his face and he seemed to become confused by the rapid fire of questions. He denied that he had been reading medical books, but admitted reading a medical magazine.

The witness declared he did not tell District Attorney Swann and Mr. Brothers while in Bellevue that "the man from Egypt" had killed Peck. He said he had asked Mrs. Horton if she had heard of "the Man from Egypt," but denied that he had otherwise spoken of such a character.

"Are you crazy?" asked Mr. Brothers.

"I think not."

"After you took Mr. Peck's life you could not sleep, could you?"

"I slept perfectly", said Waite.

"You wanted to kill yourself, didn't you?"

"Yes."

"You fixed the embalmer. What had you to fear?"

"Well, this trial."

"Why didn't you kill yourself?"

"I made a pretty good attempt at it," replied Waite.

"You only obtained the cultures in which the germs are grown", said Mr. Brothers.

"If you wanted to kill the Pecks, why didn't you shoot them?"

"I don't know."

Waite said he had never been punished in any way for any crime.

"You have never been anything but a sneak thief, have you?" asked the prosecutor.

"That's all."

"You were a gambler. You told persons you played for high stakes. That you lost in the Peck case?"

"No," said Waite.

"You planned Peck's death to win $2,000,000? Didn't you?"

"No, not that much."

"You and Margaret Horton were going to leave the country, weren't you? Where were you going?"

"I don't know that we were going away."

"Will you tell the jury that you yesterday pictured yourself worse than you were?"

"No," said Waite.

"Isn't that your defense?"

"No, I admitted my guilt."

"Haven't you been informed that if you made yourself out a mad man some one in this jury would determine that you were crazy?"

"No."

Waite said he did not know whether he told Dr. Karpas that every time he got into trouble he "bluffed" his way out.

Mr. Deuel then resumed re-direct examination. Waite said his memory was not perfect, he supposed because of drugs. He declared that his mind is growing clearer.

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ITALIANS ARE OPTIMISTIC DESPITE BATTLE REVERSES

Rome, via Paris, May 26—The retreat of the Italians on a portion of the Trentino front has not caused any pessimism in official circles here. It is pointed out that the entire line of battle is four hundred miles long and that there need be no surprise that there should be withdrawals at some points under overwhelming pressure.

The fact that the Austrians now hold a small mountainous section of Italian territory is considered of small importance when compared with the fifteen times greater territory occupied by the Italians in Austria. It is also contended that, if the enemy continues to advance, the conditions which have favored him hitherto will be reversed, as the further he gets from his base of operations, the more difficult will it be to supply ammunition for his heavy artillery. On the other hand, the Italians will enjoy the advantage of having good roads, four main railways and inexhaustible reserves available at their immediate rear.

These considerations are independent of the natural obstacles which make the Austro-Italian front so different from that at Verdun. An official statement has been issued explaining that it is impossible to limit the war to trench fighting in a region like the Trentino, where large masses of troops can be easily transferred from one point to another without weakening any section of the front.

A large number of refugees from Arsiero, Asiago and neighboring villages have arrived at Milan, where they are being cared for in charitable institutions. The evacuation of their home towns was ordered by the Italian military authorities when the great Austrian offensive started.

KING GEORGE SIGNS BILL FOR CONSCRIPTION

London, May 26.—The signature of King George was today affixed to the military service bill recently passed by parliament. In giving the royal sanction to the bill, King George issued the following message to the nation:

"To enable our country to organize more effectively its military resources in the present great struggle for the cause of civilization. I have, acting on the advice of my ministers, deemed it necessary to enroll every able-bodied man between the ages of 18 and 41.

"I desire to take this opportunity of expressing to my people my recognition and appreciation of the splendid patriotism and self-sacrifice they displayed in raising by voluntary enlistments since the commencement of the war no less than 5,041,000 men—an effect far surpassing that of any other nation in similar circumstances recorded in history and one which will be a lasting source of pride to future generations."

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Ex-President Taft Would Have U. S. A Member Of World Peace Court

Washington, D. C., May 26.—Acceptance of membership by the United States in a world court in which the joint powers would use their armed and economic forces to enforce its decrees in the interest of international peace was urged today by former President Taft before the League to Enforce Peace of which he is president.

While Mr. Taft urged the future formation of such a world court, he refrained from discussing the causes of the present war, or the part this nation may play in attaining peace. His address was closely confined to the technical, legal questions involved in joinder.

He denied that such action would curtail the power and authority of either the president or congress, by limiting the constitutional discretion of the latter body to declare war.

Mr. Taft explained that the league's platform proposes compulsory submission to the world court of an international dispute not settled by diplomatic negotiation and which are "justifiable questions".

Referring to the so-called Bryan peace treaties with England and France, Mr. Taft said it was argued that the arbitration stipulation in them was a delegation of the authority of the president and senate over our foreign relations.

"But upon reason and authority this objection is untenable," said Mr. Taft.

Turning to the question of the duty of a nation belonging to the proposed World Court to use its army and navy in enforcing its decrees upon other members that should go to war in defiance of the court's decrees, Mr. Taft took issue with former Secretary of State Bryan regarding Mr. Bryan's contention that a constitutional amendment would be necessary before the United States could obligate itself in this respect.

"Mr. Bryan declared that in order to carry out the provision we must have a joint council of the powers to determine when the time had arrived for military action and war," said Mr. Taft, "and that this would substitute the action of the council for the discretion of congress. I venture to think that this view is wholly without foundation. If the war is a foreign war it could not be begun under the constitution until congress had declared war. To impose in a constitutional way by treaty an obligation on congress it does not take away its power to discharge it or to refuse to discharge it."

Referring to this nation's treaty with Panama, guaranteeing Panama independence Mr. Taft stated it meant the United States is under obligation to make war to defend Panama.

"This duty can only be discharged through the action of congress in declaring war," he asserted. "Does that deprive congress of its power to declare war? It seems to me the question answers itself."

"With Cuba a similar situation is presented," said the former president.

PRESIDENT

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The president has indicated that he is desirous that the United States show its friendship for all the nations involved by contending for peace which will be fair to all of them, and protect each from being crushed or humiliated. Mr. Wilson is understood to agree with a suggestion that a peace following a decisive defeat of one nation or group would create only lasting hatred and sow seeds of future conflicts.

BOY-ED AGENT ACCUSED

New York, May 26.—Martin Egan, of the firm of J. P. Morgan and Company, testified today at a John Doe inquiry into police wire tapping said that Detective William J. Burns had reported to him that he had found the name of a former agent of Captain Boy-ed in information the detective uncovered as to the affairs of the firm of Seymour and Seymour. He also testified that Burns had learned from the same source of an alleged shipment of ammunition to Mexico.

DOC'S QUEEN IS LOST

I. H. Stewart, proprietor of the Cut Rate drug store, is mourning the loss of his cockerel spaniel dog, answering to the name of Queen.

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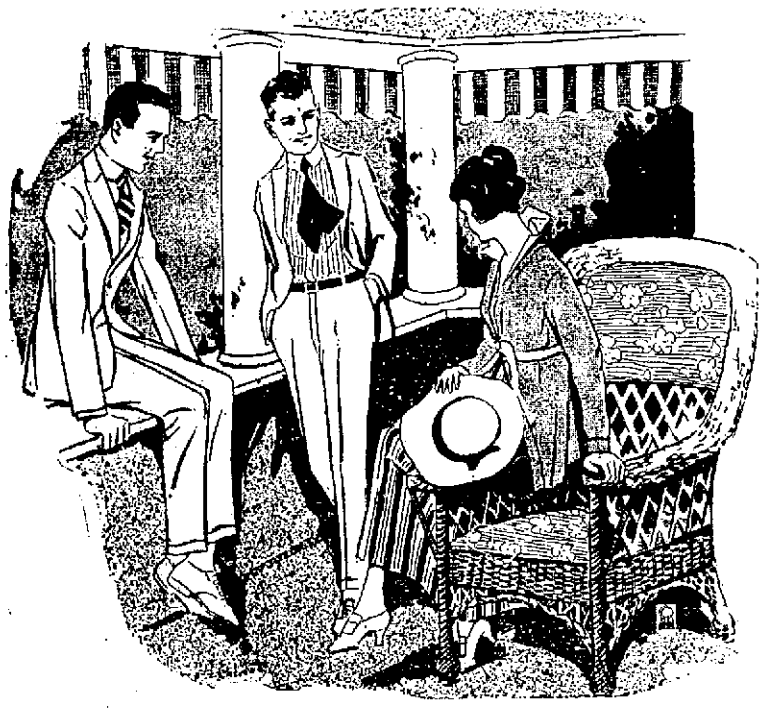

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Wm. H. Snapp Missing, Wife Greatly Alarmed

William H. Snapp, aged 25 years, an employe of the Irving Drew Shoe company, has been reported missing from his home at 2917 Gallia street, since Thursday evening at 6 o'clock.

Mrs. Snapp, who appealed to the police Friday morning to locate her husband, said he left home with the intention of attending a lodge meeting and was unable to account for his failure to return as they had had no trouble. His going has left her in a bad predicament for she is about to become a mother again and they had been asked to vacate their present apartments. The couple have one child, a little girl three years of age and came to Portsmouth from Kansas City last winter.

Snapp is described as 5 feet, 9 inches tall, slim build, swarthy complexion, black hair and when he left home wore a black cap and gray clothes.

The Comforter.

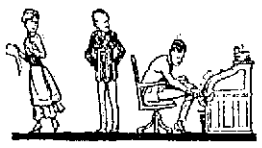
Visitor—I just looked in to cheer you up a bit, and I'm very glad I did, for I met the doctor going out, and he says you're worse than you think and unless you keep up your spirits you can't recover.—London Opinion.

Irresponsible Children.

An old lady of ninety-five sent her sons, aged seventy and seventy-three, on an errand. They were a long time away, and she observed, "What's the worst of sending children?"—London Standard.

Pasteurized Milk.

The editor of the American Medicine warns his readers against too much faith in pasteurized milk. He says experiments prove that the pasteurized milk is more liable to reinfection than raw milk and should therefore be used as soon as possible. Carelessly handled in transportation or in the home it quickly collects bacteria and becomes highly dangerous to health.



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Porstsmouth May Get A New Picture House And Theatre

From an authentic source it was learned Friday that Portsmouth is soon to receive another picture house, which will be built along lines that will permit its use for legitimate theatrical attractions.

It is to be erected on Chillicothe street, between Third and Fifth streets, and the project will be financed by two local business men and two out-of-town men.

The theatre is to have a seating capacity of from 800 to 1,000, and if a balcony is built the seating capacity will be larger.

The house is to be built strictly fire-proof throughout. It will have a large and roomy stage, so that any road attraction may show in the house to its best advantage. It will be finished strictly up-to-date on the interior and the front will be ornate and unique in design.

One of the projectors stated to The Times Friday that the plans will be drawn right away, unless there is a hitch in the details yet to be worked out, and he didn't believe there was a possible chance for the plans to miscarry.

Such a structure would not only give the city its largest picture house, but would give Portsmouth a theater to replace the Grand, which since it was gutted by fire has been converted into a business block.

Definite announcement of the plans of the proposed builders of the new theatre may be announced at any time.

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Roosevelt Articles

Beginning with Monday evening The Times will publish the first of the series of special articles written by Ex-President Theodore Roosevelt upon Preparedness. The first article is: "Nationalizing the United States" and will be followed by "Industrial Preparedness;" "My Experience With Our Army and Navy," and "The Crisis In American Politics." Later a summing-up article will be run.

Hon. Theodore Roosevelt is considered one of the foremost authorities upon preparedness in the United States and his opinions and views upon this subject will be of interest to every citizen regardless of political faith.

Revival Service At Wesley Hall To Start Tonight

Starting with this evening, Dr. D. A. Hill, well known evangelist, will open a series of special meetings at the Wesley Hall Mission, to which everyone in the city is invited to attend. The series will last ten days and the services will begin at 7:30 each evening.

On Sunday there will be three meetings; one at 10:30, another at 3:00 and the last at 7:30.

Rev. Hill recently closed a very successful meeting at Flint, Mich.

The deed for the Wesley Hall Mission property, 512 Second street, has ben formally transferred to the trustees and their successors, and the building is being put in first-class shape.

Rev. J. E. Dibert has requested that as many as possible of the citizens who so generously made it possible for the Mission to obtain a permanent home to be present at the first meeting.

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Part 1—A Comedy Romance, "Maiden All Forlorn."

Part 2—"The Dollie's Flirtation" by 20 children.

Part 3—"The Rose Drill" directed by Miss Pearl Anderson, teacher at the Eleventh street school.

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P. W. Kilcoyne, real estate and insurance agent, owing to steadily increased business, finds it necessary to have a down town location, and accordingly has rented office room No. 52 in the First National Bank building.

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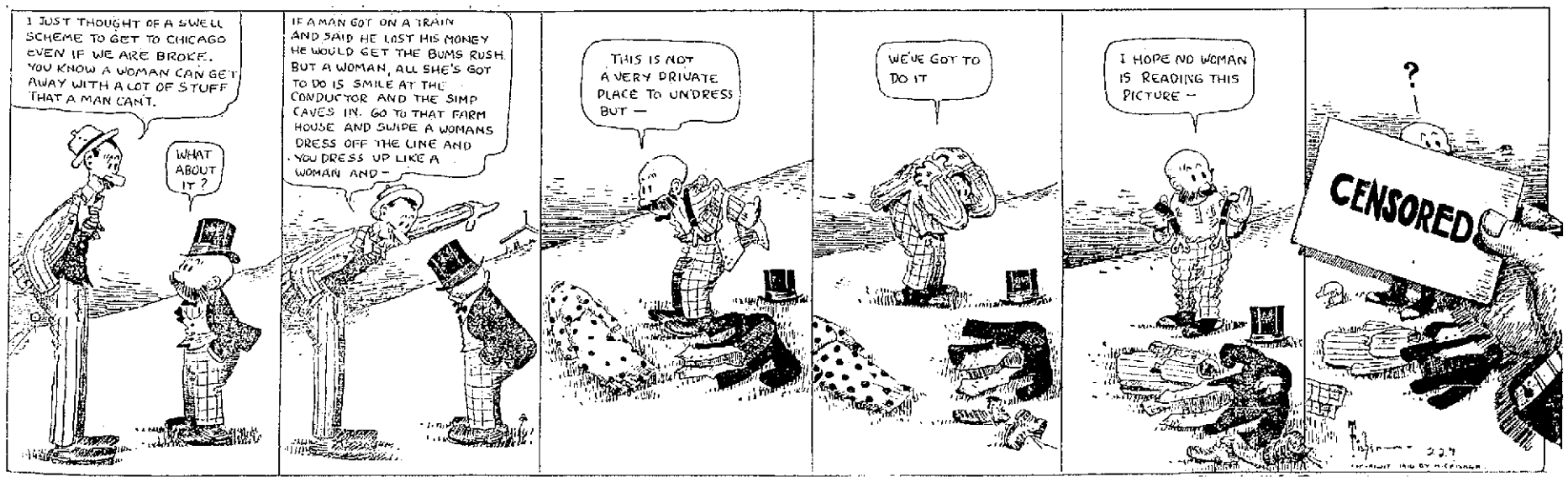

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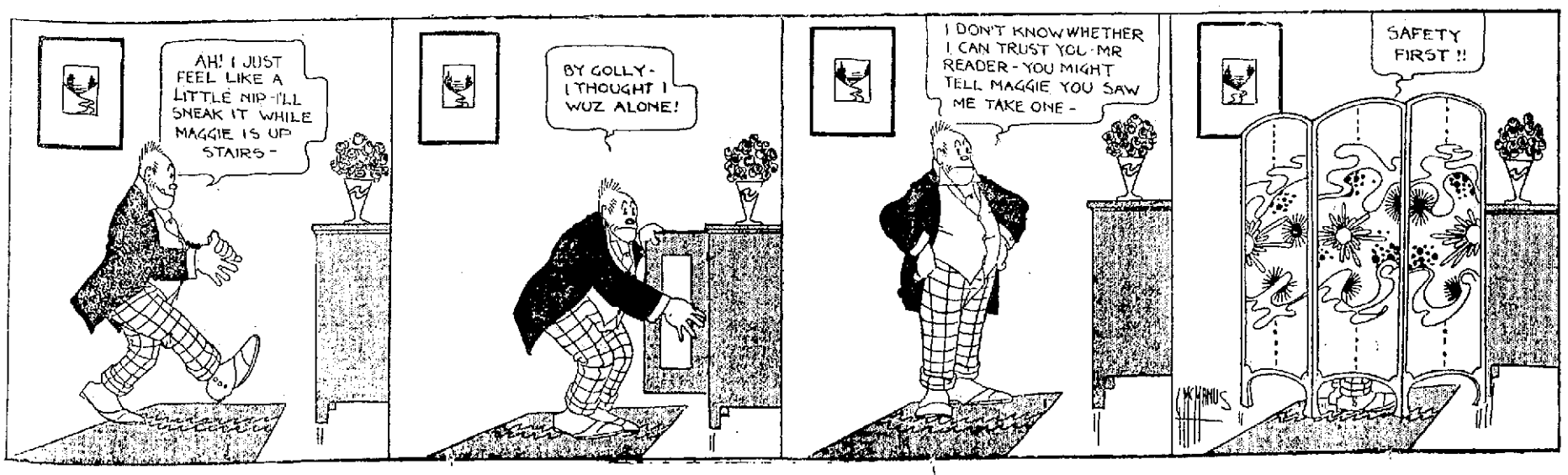

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The Movies

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For the first time in several photodramas, Blanche Sweet will have an opportunity to display several of her beautiful gowns in the Jesse L. Lasky production of "The Sowers," which will be seen at the Lyric tonight. This story of Russian political intrigue, founded upon Henry Seton Merriman's novel of the same name, was written especially for Miss Sweet by Marion Fairfax, and produced under the personal direction of William C. DeMille. As the Russian princess, Mabel Van Buren will also have an opportunity to display some recent additions to her famous wardrobe.

One of the most spectacular scenes will be the brilliant ball in the Russian Court. A special costumer was brought over to this

country to design the 300 costumes. Miss Sweet is supported by Thomas Meighan, Theodore Roberts, Mabel Van Buren, H. B. Carpenter, Ernest Joy and other prominent members of the Lasky company.

"The Spoilers" At The Columbia Tonight

"The Spoilers," with William Farnum in the leading role, will be at the Columbia tonight, and will positively be your last opportunity to see this great picture.

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Beautiful Iva Shepard in "Haunted Manor" at Lyric Tomorrow

Iva Shepard, who makes her stellar debut in the Mutual Masterpiece, De Luxe Edition, "The Haunted Manor," which comes to the Lyric Theatre Tomorrow, is recognized throughout screendom as without a peer in the portrayal of adventuress types. Miss Shepard has had a long and varied experience both on the legitimate stage and in motion picture depicting characters of unquestionable reputation.

Miss Shepard in "The Haunted Manor", is an American adventuress who has bewitched an East Indian Rajah. She lives happily at the court of this powerful ruler until the arrival of Craig Pitcairn, an American artist. The Rajah's jealousy becoming unbearable, she kills a servant whom she believes is the Rajah spying on her and escapes to America, followed by her artist lover. These East Indian scenes were filmed at St. Augustine, Fla., where the street of a village was simulated absolutely.

At The Exhibit

"Under Azure Skies" is an attractive three-part Mustang drama featuring Art Acord and Rhea Mitchell. A play that pleases by its rather unique method of presentation. "Bill," the row-puncher, who came east and lost his money among a bunch of crooks, getting into a hospital in the bargain, later is able to recommend a pretty young nurse to his employers back West. Of course he marries the nurse, giving a fitting close to an interesting story. "Rupert's Rube Relation" is an interesting Falstaff farce comedy, in which Uncle Josh, uncle of Rupert, is lured to town and surprises the boys by his insusceptibility to shock when taken to a cabaret performance.

At the Arcana

"Caught on a "Skyscraper" is a two part L Ko comedy which begins with park flirtations and some breezy mixups in an apartment house. The woman sleepwalker evades a man's room at night and goes to an empty bed. Her husband later discovers her there. The sleep walker impersonated by May Emory does some really sensational stunts later traversing the edge of a high roof and crossing between two tall buildings.

"Her Sister's Sin" is a one reel Rex drama with Francis Ford and Grace Cunard featuring. Ford is the producer while Miss Cunard is the writer of the story. "Animated Weekly No. 13" is a film crammed full of right-up-to-the minute current events.

At The Forrest

"Outwitted" is a three part Thanhouser drama, with "Lady" Wayne Arey and Hazel Kirk in the leading roles. This is an unusual drama that will hold your interest from the start. Be sure to see it. "Billy Van Dusen and the Vampire" is a Beauty comedy. John Steppling and John Sheehan appear in this smart comedy as the "Bon Ton Bermudes." They become rivals over a girl whose lover poses as a professional vampire and shows them up as common flirts.

At The Temple

"The Taint" is the title of the four part railroad drama, the feature attraction at this popular theatre tonight. Don't miss the thrilling railroad scenes. "More Deadly Than the Male" is a Pathe comedy, featuring Jennie and Louie. The heroes run afoul of a sort of Utopia in which only women reside. There are female cops and officials. The mayoress and sheriffess take a liking to the heroes after their arrest and entertain them loyally but then for thanks, Heinie and Louie rob the pantry. A riot of fun and sure chaser for the blues.

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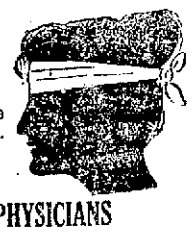

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Thousands take one or two every night just to keep healthy. Try them for 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

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ROCKY RUN

There will be preaching at White Gravel Sunday.

Our friend, Dixon, has purchased a new Ford.

Lennox Debo was seen in this vicinity one day last week.

Charles J. Dobb has been hauling wheat.

Warren Dever and son Elza, are farming on Ed Lansing's place this summer.

Harry Browning was seen returning home from the creek with a large basket of fish Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lansing, of the Glades, were seen in this vicinity Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rastus Warren and family, of New Boston, were calling on his father, Lewis Warren, of White Gravel, Sunday.

Xavier Debo, who has been employed at Scioto ville, returned home Sunday.

Lewis Debo, the champion buckwheat raiser, is getting ready for a big acreage this season.

Warnie Kronk and family were guests of Warren Dever and family, Sunday.

William and Lee Warren, of Jackson county, were out motoring Sunday.

Allen Stockham, of Red Brush, was the guest of Rufus Warren, Sunday.

Bennett Lyons was seen passing through this vicinity one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker were visiting relatives at Harrisonville Sunday.

Charley Allison is working for Cliff Erwin this summer

WHEELER'S MILL

Lewis Wyant is laid up with lumbago.

An Italian working for the Allen Construction Company, blew up a box of dynamite and was pretty badly injured one day last week.

Fred Brisker was calling on F. McClintick, Tuesday, getting cabbage plants.

People of this vicinity are busy picking strawberries. The berry crop is light.

Fine rain we had. Help thi[illegible] wonderfully.

Onie McClintick, of Whee[illegible] Mill, who has been visiting her si[illegible]ter, Ruth, of Michigan, for [illegible] weeks, has returned home.

Mrs. Wyant and daughters, [illegible]tie and Delily, and Leona McC[illegible]tick were calling on Annie Co[illegible] Monday evening.

Albert Burgess, of Stockdale, [illegible] in our vicinity last week and bo[illegible] a fine bunch of cattle.

Phil Yeagle delivered a cra[illegible]bberries to F. Brisker.

Men's Full Sennett Straw Sa[illegible]ors $1.80. Si Straus, 416 Ch[illegible] St.

Stick Insects of Borneo.

The longest known insect is [illegible] doubtedly the stick insect of Bor[illegible] Specimens thirteen inches in le[illegible] have been captured. It is an interes[illegible]ing example of mimetic coloring [illegible]sembling in a remarkable manne[illegible] piece of rough stick. On the branch [illegible] a tree it is extremely difficult to d[illegible]tinguish between the insect and [illegible] bark.

The Other Man.

"Why didn't she marry you? Is th[illegible] another man in the case?"

"I'm afraid so."

"Do you know who it is?"

"Yes, her father."—Boston Tra[illegible]script.

FRECKLE-FAC[illegible]

Sun and Wind Bring Out U[illegible] Spots. How to Remove Fash[illegible]

Here's a chance, Miss Fre[illegible] face, to try a remedy for freck[illegible] with the guarantee of a relia[illegible] dealer that it will not cost you [illegible] penny unless it removes [illegible] freckles; while if it does give y[illegible] a clear complexion the expense [illegible] trifling.

Simply get an ounce of otha[illegible] double strength—from any dr[illegible]gist and a few applications sho[illegible] show you how easy it is to [illegible] yourself of the homely freck[illegible] and get a beautiful complex[illegible] Rarely is more than one ou[illegible] needed for the worst cases.

Be sure to ask the druggist [illegible] the double strength othine as [illegible] is the prescription, sold u[illegible] guarantee of money back if it [illegible] to remove freckles.

ATTACK U.S. POLICY

Mexico City, May 26—The government newspapers, in their editorials today, make savage attacks on the policy of the United States in Latin America, which they denounce as imperialistic and hypocritical.

Ice Cream Social

The Young Peoples' Union of the South Portsmouth Christian church will give an ice cream social Saturday evening, May 27, in the basement of the church. All cordially invited to attend.

Men's Soisette and Pongee Shirts $1.00. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

Even So.

The partners who had never been well mated were having their dissolution of partnership quarrel.

"You've been playing the baby act," said one, "ever since we went into business together!"

"You bet I have," said the other promptly. "I've been putting up my head against your cheek."—Strickland Gillian in Judge.

Her Rule.

"I leave my heart at your feet."

The proud beauty smiled and pointed to a sign.

"Not responsible for hearts left more than thirty days," it read.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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The very suit for Decoration Day and every day throughout the season. Absolute fast colors, hand tailored suits with the Union Label and suits that others ask $20 for, Our Special $15.00

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In Tan and Black and White Stripes
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PALM BEACH PANTS
WHITE SERGE PANTS
(In plain and fancy stripes)
$2.98
Other stores sell 'em at $4.50 to $5

STRAW HATS $1.50 TO $3.00
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Sport Shirts or any other make of shirts for hot weather.
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EVERY MEMBER CANVASS AT ALL SAINTS CHURCH

All members of the "E. M. C." committee are requested to meet in the rector's office on Fourth street at 7:30 p. m. this evening, to complete the preparatory work of the canvass.

The idea of the canvass is that every communicant and adherent should be a subscriber to the work of the church, both local and missionary, or, as it is better described, work done "For Ourselves" and "For Others."

The canvass is being held in order that the finances of the parish may be placed upon a more satisfactory basis, and if this be done there will have to be, in the majority of instances, an increased pledge for church support. If every subscriber who realizes his ability to give more will do so, the success of the canvass is assured.

The work of the canvass on Sunday will be done by seven teams, and the following program of arrangements will be observed. 8 a. m., celebration of the Holy Communion in the church. All communicants who can possibly do so are asked to come to this service and pray for the success of the canvass.

8:15 a. m. Breakfast in the Parish House, served by St. Mary Magdalene's Guild to the canvassers.

Brief addresses on the methods of the canvass.

9:45 a. m. Canvassing teams will leave Parish House in motor cars and proceed without delay to the work.

5:00 p. m. Preliminary tabulation of results in rector's office.

Communicants and adherents are reminded that the canvass is being conducted with a view to securing increases upon pledges at present in force and canvassers will work towards this end. All should be willing to bear their fair share of the financial burden, and if all will do so, the parish will be able to carry on its work with ease.

In so far as it encourages the idea that all young communicants should contribute something, however small, each week, towards the expenses of the parish, the canvass is educational. "Train up a child in the way it should go, and when it is old it will not depart from it," is true of Christian giving. Those who give now will give later. The future prosperity of the church depends in large measure upon the training of the present generation of children in Christian giving.

Will all communicants and adherents of the parish bear in mind that the canvassers are working in their interest; are in fact doing their work? This fact should insure for every team a cordial reception in every home.

The accounts of the church are kept by double entry. The church treasurer keeps the day book and the Eternal God the ledger. The final audit of accounts will be held on Judgment Day. A clean balance sheet in time will mean a clean balance sheet in eternity.

TURTLE FARM IS A GOOD THING

John Ossington, who recently established a turtle farm near Wheelersburg, brought sixty-five pounds of dressed turtle flesh to the city Thursd ay.

MAY INVEST $25,000 IN STORE

Judge Thomas C. Beatty, probate court, granted Vere Crawford, trustee of the estate of Maggie Crawford, permission to invest $25,000 in the Anderson-Newcomb company, Huntington, W. Va., Friday.

WILL SUBMIT LIST OF GRADUATES

At the meeting of the school board tonight Supt. Frank Appel will probably submit a list of this year's graduates of the Portsmouth High School. Sixty-five seniors will graduate, the list being the largest in the history of the city. The 1915 class was composed of 58 graduates.

GLADE RUN

The farmers are all busy planting their corn.

Mr. Culp, of Urbana, was visiting old friends in this settlement.

Ishmael Dixon has purchased a new Ford.

Beatrice Lansing's school on the West Side has closed. She came home Sunday.

Mrs. Fulton and daughter, Bertha, were calling on Libbie Dever one day last week.

Elza Dever is helping Walter Warren plant corn.

Edward Lansing lost a valuable colt last week.

Jasper Culp, of New Boston, lost a fine horse a few days ago.

Charlie Keller, of New Boston, drove out to the Glades Sunday in his Maxwell.

It is reported that since George Boston went to Urbana he has been married.

Warnie Kronk has disposed of all of his collie pups.

Bertha Flack was calling on Bertha Fulton last week.

Sampson Shoemaker was visiting James Irwin, of Harrisonville, Sunday.

Ras. Warren, of New Boston, drove out Sunday in his Ford to White Gravel, to see his father, Lewis Warren.

Jim Tolan, of the Glades, was calling on Tom Brown, near Stockdale, Sunday.

A large crowd of young folks surprised Joseph Keller and wife Saturday night by gathering and presenting them with a kitchen shower. After enjoying several games, in which Joseph Flack was the leader, the guests departed for their homes, wishing the newly-weds a prosperous and happy life.

DOLLAR SILK SALE

One Day Only, Saturday, May 27th.

This lot of silks includes all of the season's choicest and newest silks. One glance at our windows and the stock on the counters will convince you that we carry one of the most complete lines of the very best makes of Silks in the city.

Our Silk Department announces the following specials for Saturday as an advertisement to introduce our immense stock of Silks we carry, and to show the people of Portsmouth and vicinity that by buying at Voelker's for cash we can make you a big saving on your purchase.

THINK OF SAVING 50 TO 75 CENTS ON EVERY YARD OF SILK DURING THIS ONE DAY SALE!

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$7.50 SATIN TAFFETA, 5 YARD DRESS PATTERNS, PER PATTERN $5.00
$7.50 FIGURED CREPE DE CHINE, 5 YARD DRESS PATTERNS, PER PATTERN $5.00
$7.50 SATIN BORDERED VOILE, 5 YARD PATTERNS $5.00

These bargains are inducing to the graduate, the bride or the well dressed lady. Come, look them over. Remember this is a one day cash sale. No goods laid aside.

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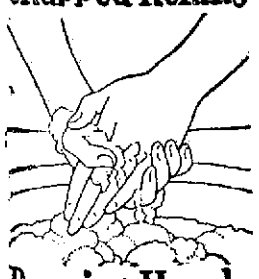

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Sample Each Free by Mail
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RUSHTOWN

Rev. Litten will preach Sunday and Sunday night at Bethany church.

Mrs. John Boyer and Mrs. Charles Johnson recently visited relatives at Waverly and Omega.

Miss Sylvia Shultz, who has been working at McDermitt, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones were shopping in Portsmouth Saturday.

A crowd of young people from this place spent Saturday night at Crichton's Inn. All enjoyed a good time.

Miss Alta Nunley is very ill.

Rev. A. K. Murphy is spending a few days at West Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirkendall visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Jordan Sunday.

A Range of Possibilities.

"I have been told," said the confident performer, "that I make my violin sound like the human voice."

"Yes," replied the candid friend, "but there are so many kinds of human voices."—Washington Star.

EXCESSIVE MEAT EATING

Most people who are troubled with flatulency eat more meat than is good for them. Flatulency is wind on the stomach. Excessive meat eating or defective nerve force is responsible in most cases.

Cutting down the amount of meat in your diet and taking a course of treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to strengthen the weak nerves that control the digestive processes is well worth trying if you have wind on the stomach, sour risings in the throat, a feeling of weakness in the stomach and palpitation of the heart. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are recommended for thin blood and weak nerves, whatever the cause.

Send today to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for the diet book "What to Eat and How to Eat." It gives information regarding the tonic treatment for many forms of stomach trouble. There cannot be perfect digestion without a sufficient supply of red blood and there is nothing better than Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to enrich the blood and tone up the stomach.

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One Thousand Specials Will End With the Close of Busines Saturday Night!

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The Movies

Blanche Sweet, Theodore Roberts and Thomas Meighan In A Paramount Triumph, "The Sowers" At The Lyric Tonight.

For the first time in several photodramas, Blanche Sweet will have an opportunity to display several of her beautiful gowns in the Jesse L. Lasky production of "The Sowers," which will be seen at the Lyric tonight. This story of Russian political intrigue, founded upon Henry Seton Merriman's novel of the same name, was written especially for Miss Sweet by Marion Fairfax, and produced under the personal direction of William C. DeMille. As the Russian princess, Mabel Van Buren will also have an opportunity to display some recent additions to her famous wardrobe.

One of the most spectacular scenes will be the brilliant ball in the Russian Court. A special costumer was brought over to this

country to design the 300 costumes. Miss Sweet is supported by Thomas Meighan, Theodore Roberts, Mabel Van Buren, H. B. Carpenter, Ernest Joy and other prominent members of the Lasky company.

"The Spoilers" At The Columbia Tonight

"The Spoilers," with William Farnum in the leading role, will be at the Columbia tonight, and will positively be your last opportunity to see this great picture.

It is generally admitted that "The Spoilers" is the greatest film picture ever produced. Don't fail to see it tonight.

Admission 10 cents.

Beautiful Iva Shepard in "Haunted Manor" at Lyric Tomorrow

Iva Shepard, who makes her stellar debut in the Mutual Masterpiece, De Luxe Edition, "The Haunted Manor," which comes to the Lyric Theatre Tomorrow, is recognized throughout screendom as without a peer in the portrayal of adventuress types. Miss Shepard has had a long and varied experience both on the legitimate stage and in motion picture depicting characters of unquestionable reputation.

Miss Shepard in "The Haunted Manor", is an American adventuress who has bewitched an East Indian Rajah. She lives happily at the court of this powerful ruler until the arrival of Craig Pitcairn, an American artist. The Rajah's jealousy becoming unbearable, she kills a servant whom she believes is the Rajah spying on her and escapes to America, followed by her artist lover. These East Indian scenes were filmed at St. Augustine, Fla., where the street of a village was simulated absolutely.

At The Exhibit

"Under Azure Skies" is an attractive three-part Mustang drama featuring Art Acord and Rhea Mitchell. A play that pleases by its rather unique method of presentation. "Bill," the cow-puncher, who came east and lost his money among a bunch of crooks, getting into a hospital in the bargain, later is able to recommend a pretty young nurse to his employers back West. Of course he marries the nurse, giving a fitting close to an interesting story. "Rupert's Bible Relation" is an interesting Falstaff farce comedy, in which Uncle Jack, uncle of Rupert, is lured to town and surprises the boys by his insusceptibility to shock when taken to a cabaret performance.

At the Arcana

"Caught on a "Skyscraper" is a two part L Ko comedy which begins with park flirtations and some breezy mixups in an apartment house. The woman sleepwalker evades a man's room at night and goes to an empty bed. Her husband later discovers her there. The sleep walker impersonated by May Emory does some really sensational stunts later traversing the edge of a high roof and crossing between two tall buildings.

"Her Sister's Sin" is a one reel Rex drama with Francis Ford and Grace Cunard featuring. Ford is the producer while Miss Cunard is the writer of the story. "Animated Weekly No. 13" is a film crammed full of right-up-to-the minute current events.

At The Forrest

"Outwitted" is a three part Thanhouser drama, with "Lady" Wayne Arey and Hazel Kirk in the leading roles. This is an unusual drama that will hold your interest from the start. Be sure to see it. "Billy Van Dusen and the Vampire" is a Beauty comedy. John Steppling and John Sheehan appear in this smart comedy as the "Bon Ton Bermudos." They become rivals over a girl, whose lover poses as a professional vampire and shows them up as common dirts.

At The Temple

"The Train" is the title of the great railroad drama, the feature attraction at this popular theatre tonight. Don't miss the thrilling railroad scenes. "More Wealthy Than the Male" is a Pathe comedy, featuring Jennie and Louie. The heroes run afoul of a sort of Utopia in which only women reside. There are female cops and officials. The mayoress and sheriffess take a liking to the heroes after their arrest and entertain them loyally but then for thanks. Heinie and Louie rob the pantry. A riot of fun and sure chaser for the blues.

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Dr. Edwards, a practicing physician for 17 years and an intimate friend of Mr. Bryan, discovered the formula for Olive Tablets while treating patients for chronic constipation and torpid livers.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do not contain calomel, but a healing, soothing vegetable laxative.

No griping is the "keynote" of these little sugar-coated, olive-colored tablets. They cause the bowels and liver to act normally. They never force them to unnatural action.

If you have a "dark brown mouth" now and then—a bad breath—a dull, tired feeling—sick headache—torpid liver and are constipated, try calomel's best substitute, Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets at bedtime.

Thousands take one or two every night just to keep right. Try them, 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

The Olive Tablet Company, Columbus, O.

ROCKY RUN

There will be preaching at White Gravel Sunday.

Our friend, Dixon, has purchased a new Ford.

Lennox Debo was seen in this vicinity one day last week.

Charles J. Dobb has been hauling wheat.

Warren Dever and son Elza, are farming on Ed Lansing's place this summer.

Harry Browning was seen returning home from the creek with a large basket of fish Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lansing, of the Glades, were seen in this vicinity Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rastus Warren and family, of New Boston, were calling on his father, Lewis Warren, of White Gravel, Sunday.

Xavier Debo, who has been employed at Sciotoville, returned home Sunday.

Lewis Debo, the champion buckwheat raiser, is getting ready for a big acreage this season.

Warnie Kronk and family were guests of Warren Dever and family, Sunday.

William and Lee Warren, of Jackson county, were out motoring Sunday.

Allen Stockham, of Red Brush, was the guest of Rufus Warren, Sunday.

Bennett Lyons was seen passing through this vicinity one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker were visiting relatives at Harrisonville Sunday.

Charley Allison is working for Cliff Erwin this summer

WHEELER'S MILL

Lewis Wyant is laid up with lumbago.

An Italian working for the Allen Construction Company, blew up a box of dynamite and was pretty badly injured one day last week.

Fred Brisker was calling on F. McClintick, Tuesday, getting cabbage plants.

People of this vicinity are busy picking strawberries. The berry crop is light.

Fine rain we had. Help thinks wonderfully.

Onie McClintick, of Wheeler's Mill, who has been visiting her sister, Ruth, of Michigan, for four weeks, has returned home.

Mrs. Wyant and daughters, Nettie and Delily, and Leona McClintick were calling on Annie Cordell Monday evening.

Albert Burgess, of Stockdale, was in our vicinity last week and bought a fine bunch of cattle.

Phil Yeagle delivered a crate of bberries to F. Brisker.

Men's Full Sennett Straw Sailors $1.50. Si Straus, 416 Chill St. 26-tf

Stick Insects of Borneo.

The longest known insect is undoubtedly the stick insect of Borneo. Specimens thirteen inches in length have been captured. It is an interesting example of mimetic coloring, resembling in a remarkable manner a piece of rough stick. On the bough of a tree it is extremely difficult to distinguish between the insect and the bark.

The Other Man.

"Why didn't she marry you? Is there another man in the case?"

"I'm afraid so."

"Do you know who it is?"

"Yes, her father."—Boston Transcript.

FRECKLE-FACE

Sun and Wind Bring Out Ugly Spots. How to Remove Easily.

Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-face, to try a remedy for freckles with the guarantee of a reliable dealer that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles; while if it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from any druggist and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. Rarely is more than one ounce needed for the worst case.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine as this is the prescription sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

ATTACK U.S. POLICY

Mexico City, May 26—The government newspapers, in their editorials today, make savage attacks on the policy of the United States in Latin America, which they denounce as imperialistic and hypocritical.

Ice Cream Social

The Young Peoples' Union of the South Portsmouth Christian church will give an ice cream social Saturday evening, May 27, in the basement of the church. All cordially invited to attend.

Men's Soisette and Pongee Shirts $1.00. Si Straus, 415 Chilli St. 26-1t

Even So.

The partners who had never been well mated were having their dissolution of partnership quarrel.

"You've been playing the baby act," said one, "ever since we went into business together!"

"You bet I have," said the other promptly. "I've been putting up my head against your cheek."—Strickland Gillian in Judge.

Her Rule.

"I leave my heart at your feet."

The proud beauty smiled and pointed to a sign.

"Not responsible for hearts left more than thirty days," it read.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

BLUE AND GREY Serges

The very suit for Decoration Day and every day throughout the season. Absolute fast colors, hand tailored suits with the Union Label and suits that others ask $20 for, Our Special $15.00

PALM BEACH SUITS
In Tan and Black and White Stripes
$5.00 to $7.50
Save $2.50 to $5.00 on every suit

PALM BEACH PANTS
WHITE SERGE PANTS
(In plain and fancy stripes)
$2.98
Other stores sell 'em at $4.50 to $5

STRAW HATS $1.50 TO $3.00
PANAMA HATS
The $7.50 quality we sell at **$5.00**
Compare our Panamas with the others and we guarantee to save you from $1.50 to $2.50.

SUMMER SHIRTS
Sport Shirts or any other make of shirts for hot weather.
UNION SUITS
Athletic, Pongee, Nainsook
50c to $1.50

306 Chillicothe Street

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EVERY MEMBER CANVASS AT ALL SAINTS CHURCH

All members of the "E. M. C." committee are requested to meet in the rector's office on Fourth street at 7:30 p. m. this evening, to complete the preparatory work of the canvass.

The idea of the canvass is that every communicant and adherent should be a subscriber to the work of the church, both local and missionary, or, as it is better described, work done "For Ourselves" and "For Others."

The canvass is being held in order that the finances of the parish may be placed upon a more satisfactory basis, and if this be done there will have to be, in the majority of instances, an increased pledge for church support. If every subscriber who realizes his ability to give more will do so, the success of the canvass is assured.

The work of the canvass on Sunday will be done by seven teams, and the following program of arrangements will be observed. 8 a. m., celebration of the Holy Communion in the church. All communicants who can possibly do so are asked to come to this service and pray for the success of the canvass.

8:45 a. m. Breakfast in the Parish House, served by St. Mary Magdalene's Guild to the canvassers.

Brief addresses on the methods of the canvass.

9:45 a. m. Canvassing teams will leave Parish House in motor cars and proceed without delay to the work.

5:00 p. m. Preliminary tabulation of results in rector's office.

Communicants and adherents are reminded that the canvass is being conducted with a view to securing increases upon pledges at present in force and canvassers will work towards this end. All should be willing to bear their fair share of the financial burden, and if all will do so, the parish will be able to carry on its work with ease.

In so far as it encourages the idea that all young communicants should contribute something, however small, each week, towards the expenses of the parish, the canvass is educational. "Train up a child in the way it should go, and when it is old it will not depart from it," is true of Christian giving. Those who give now will give later. The future prosperity of the church depends in large measure upon the training of the present generation of children in Christian giving.

Will all communicants and adherents of the parish bear in mind that the canvassers are working in their interest; are in fact doing their work? This fact should insure for every team a cordial reception in every home.

The accounts of the church are kept by double entry. The church treasurer keeps the day book and the Eternal God the ledger. The final audit of accounts will be held on Judgment Day. A clean balance sheet in time will mean a clean balance sheet in eternity.

TURTLE FARM IS A GOOD THING

John Ossington, who recently established a turtle farm near Wheelersburg, brought sixty-five pounds of dressed turtle flesh to the city Thursday.

MAY INVEST $25,000 IN STORE

Judge Thomas C. Beatty, probate court, granted Vere Crawford, trustee of the estate of Maggie Crawford, permission to invest $25,000 in the Anderson-Newcomb company, Huntington, W. Va., Friday.

WILL SUBMIT LIST OF GRADUATES

At the meeting of the school board tonight Supt. Frank Appel will probably submit a list of this year's graduates of the Portsmouth High School. Sixty-five seniors will graduate, the list being the largest in the history of the city. The 1915 class was composed of 58 graduates.

RUSHTOWN

Rev. Litten will preach Sunday and Sunday night at Bethany church.

Mrs. John Boyer and Mrs. Charles Johnson recently visited relatives at Waverly and Omega.

Miss Sylvia Shultz, who has been working at McDermott, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones were shopping in Portsmouth Saturday.

A crowd of young people from this place spent Saturday night at Crichton's Inn. All enjoyed a good time.

Miss Alta Nunley is very ill.

Rev. A. K. Murphy is spending a few days at West Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirkendall visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Jordan Sunday.

A Range of Possibilities.

"I have been told," said the confident performer, "that I make my violin sound like the human voice."

"Yes," replied the candid friend, "but there are so many kinds of human voices."—Washington Star.

EXCESSIVE MEAT EATING

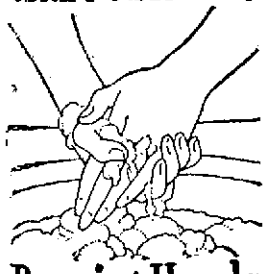
Most people who are troubled with flatulency eat more meat than is good for them. Flatulency is wind on the stomach. Excessive meat eating or defective nerve force is responsible in most cases.

Cutting down the amount of meat in your diet and taking a course of treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to strengthen the weak nerves that control the digestive processes is well worth trying if you have wind on the stomach, sour belchings in the throat, a feeling of weakness in the stomach and palpitation of the heart. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are recommended for thin blood and weak nerves, whatever the cause.

Send today to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for the diet book "What to Eat and How to Eat." It gives information regarding the tonic treatment for many forms of stomach trouble. There cannot be perfect digestion without a sufficient supply of red blood and there is nothing better than Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to enrich the blood and tone up the stomach.

Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or they will be mailed, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

Cuticura Heals Chapped Itching



Burning Hands Trial Free

Bathe and soak the hands on retiring in hot Cuticura soapsuds. Dry and rub Cuticura Ointment well into the hands. The result is wonderful.

Sample Each Free by Mail

With 32-p. Skin Book on request. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. 15G, Boston." Sold throughout the world.

GLADE RUN

The farmers are all busy planting their corn.

Mr. Culp, of Urbana, was visiting old friends in this settlement.

Ishmael Dixon has purchased a new Ford.

Beatrice Lansing's school on the West Side has closed. She came home Sunday.

Mrs. Fulton and daughter, Bertha, were calling on Libbie Dever one day last week.

Eliza Dever is helping Walter Warren plant corn.

Edward Lansing lost a valuable colt last week.

Jasper Culp, of New Boston, lost a fine horse a few days ago.

Charlie Keller, of New Boston, drove out to the Glades Sunday in his Maxwell.

It is reported that since George Boston went to Urbana he has been married.

Warnie Kronk has disposed of all of his collie pups.

Bertha Flack was calling on Bertha Fulton last week.

Sampson Shoemaker was visiting James Irwin, of Harrisonville, Sunday.

Ras. Warren, of New Boston, drove out Sunday in his Ford to White Gravel, to see his father, Lewis Warren.

Jim Tolan, of the Glades, was calling on Tom Brown, near Stockdale, Sunday.

A large crowd of young folks surprised Joseph Keller and wife Saturday night by gathering and presenting them with a kitchen shower. After enjoying several games, in which Joseph Flack was the leader, the guests departed for their homes, wishing the newly-weds a prosperous and happy life.

DOLLAR SILK SALE

One Day Only, Saturday, May 27th.

This lot of silks includes all of the season's choicest and newest silks. One glance at our windows and the stock on the counters will convince you that we carry one of the most complete lines of the very best makes of Silks in the city.

Our Silk Department announces the following specials for Saturday as an advertisement to introduce our immense stock of Silks we carry, and to show the people of Portsmouth and vicinity that by buying at Voelker's for cash we can make you a big saving on your purchase.

THINK OF SAVING 50 TO 75 CENTS ON EVERY YARD OF SILK DURING THIS ONE DAY SALE!

$1.50 YARD WIDE TAFFETA, ALL COLORS, PER YARD $1.00
$1.50 YARD WIDE MESSALINE, ALL COLORS, PER YARD $1.00
$1.75 FANCY STRIPES AND CHECKS, PER YARD $1.00
$7.50 SATIN TAFFETA, 5 YARD DRESS PATTERNS, PER PATTERN $5.00
$7.50 FIGURED CREPE DE CHINE, 5 YARD DRESS PATTERNS, PER PATTERN $5.00
$7.50 SATIN BORDERED VOILE, 5 YARD PATTERNS $5.00

These bargains are inducing to the graduate, the bride or the well dressed lady. Come, look them over. Remember this is a one day cash sale. No goods laid aside.

John Voelker & Co.

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"HIGH CLASS MUSIC"

10c TONIGHT'S PARAMOUNT FEATURE 10c

Jessy L. Lasky presents the excellent trio of stars

Blanche Sweet

THOMAS MEIGHAN AND THEODORE ROBERTS IN

"THE SOWERS"

An elaborate powerful, dramatic, production in five acts

10c TOMORROW 10c

THE HAUNTED MANOR

Featuring the beautiful IVA SHEPARD, HENRY W. PEMBERTON AND GERTRUDE ROBINSON in a stirring "society adventuress" drama

Monday EDITH STORY -IN- "The Two Edged Sword"

EDITH STOREY in "THE TWO-EDGED SWORD"

Is not used by battling warriors—
But by a woman who seeks revenge—
By a woman who uses her sexual charm—
To pierce the heart of a man
But—

"The Two Edged Sword"

Cuts deep the hand that wields—
Until illusion is banished—
And life and it's Greater Lesson—
Are viewed through the light of deep purple.

This five part wonder-play features the superb actress EDITH STOREY who won the love of millions in "The Island of Regeneration".

LYRIC

Monday, Admission 10c

Master Mason Degree Conferred On Class

For the first time since the Masonic Temple was re-modeled, the work was exemplified entirely on the stage Thursday evening at a special meeting of Aurora Lodge No. 48 F. & A. M. by the Past Masters' Association. The Master Masons degree was conferred upon a class of two candidates.

At six o'clock the members of the Past Master's Association were served a banquet by Aurora Lodge. Those attending were: Judge George M. Osborn, D. A. Grimes, Harry Johnson, A. J. Fuller, George F. Turley, William F. Clayton, Frank M. Baggs, Will Dachler, William M. Weidner, Frank B. Kehoe, John Duis, of Wheelersburg, Sherrard M. Johnson, E. B. Campbell, Dr. J. S. Barden, Robert G. Bryan, Geo. C. McClure, H. C. Murfin, John A. Ives, James Folsom of Wheelersburg, Edgar F. Draper, Clyde Brant and Chas. Ault, Lucasville.

William J. Schilling and William F. Zottman were stage managers; D. E. Thomas, stereopticon operator, and Geo. W. Zottman, organist.

WILL TAKE PHYSICAL EXAM

Dee York, son of Raymond York, received word, Thursday, to report at Annapolis, Md., on June 9 to take a physical examination. He recently passed a sucess ful examination to enter Annapolis. If he passes the physical examination he will go to camp for three months and will enter Annapolis school in September.

LIEUT. MURFIN COMMANDS ALBANY

Henry Clay Murfin recently received word from his son, Lieut. Orin Gould Murfin, United States navy that he had been transferred from the Cruiser Saratoga to the Cruiser Albany. Lieutenant Murfin is now in command of the Albany which is cruising down the west coast of South America on a special mission for the government.

Ankle Is Broken

Mrs. George Fachr, of Eighth street, tripped when going up the steps at her home on Eighth street, fell and broke her left ankle. She was attended by Dr. Braunlin.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE

The Queen of the Valley Temple Number 26 will hold the annual Thanksgiving services on Sunday morning at A. I. U. hall at 11 o'clock. The sermon will be delivered by Rev. Johnson of the Findlay Street M. E. church. All members are requested to meet in the ante room at 10:30.

IDA PARKER, W. C.
ETHEL JONES, Sec.

Men's Silk Hats 50c. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

Not His Own Choice.

"I believe you are the same man who was here about a year ago," said the housewife.

"Maybe so, mum," replied the tramp. "I was in these parts."

"And you haven't found any work to do yet?"

"Only what was wished on me, mum, by one or two hard hearted judges."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Genuine Matting Suit Cases 98c. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

Your Decoration Day Wants

CAN BE SUPPLIED

SATURDAY OR MONDAY AT MARTING'S

The little things that help to make your picnic party a success as well as the proper clothing for this holiday can be gotten in a most satisfactory manner right here. Such items as Shoes, Hosiery, Gloves, Parasols, Neckwear, Waists, Sport Skirts, Summer Millinery, Underaustins and other dress accessories are all here for you.

Picnic Accessories

Each item will add more comfort to your gathering.
Handibeat complete with can of solidified alcohol, stand and cooker. Price 25c
Picnic Plates 12 for 5c; 25c for 10c
Waxed Paper, pure white and odorless per roll 5c
Thermos Bottles, quart size $2.50
Caps for auto wear, a variety of styles and shapes.
Prices 50c to $1.50.

Pretty New Neckwear

The large collar styles are correct and our assortment of them is complete for your wants. Come and see them.
Prices 35c to $1.50.
Sport striped collars for use with sport skirts 25c to $1.00.

Short Silk Gloves

Two clasp, Milanese Silk, all sizes and colors 50c pair.

White and Ivory color Wash Kid Gloves, all sizes, light weight per pair $1.50.

MATTING HAND BAGS

Assorted sizes for short trips and lunch purposes. 50c to 75c.

Don't Forget A Parasol

Our assortment of children's, misses' and women's is complete. Children's in neat styles 25 to 75c Misses' and Women's large assortment of shapes and all popular colors $1.00 to $6.00.

Children's Socks

A serviceable article for summer wear for the boys and girls.
Prices 15 and 25c.

Summer Pumps and Sport Oxfords

White Duck, Kid and Calf Skins or Tan Russia Calf make them serviceable and stylish. The new White Soles and Heels are correct in style and the splendid assortment that we are showing for Decoration Day wear makes it an easy matter to choose the correct style.

Canvas Pumps and Oxfords from $2.00 to $4.00. Tan and White Calf Skin Oxfords at $4.00 to $5.00.

White Hosiery

FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Do away with perspiring feet and keep cool by wearing white hosiery this summer.
Men's White Hose ...25 and 50c
Children's White Hose ..15 to 50c
Women's White Hose 15c to $1.00

Large Chiffon Auto Veils

Large assortment of colors. Hemstitched. Prices $1 and $2.
Fans, all kinds and descriptions for ladies and children 5c to $1.50

Hair Bow Ribbons

All plain colors and novelties, good stiff qualities, 20 to 45c yard

New Tokio Leather Bags, very latest in purses $1.50 to $3.50.

The Store for Ladies' Waists

Yes, we've won this title—"The STORE FOR LADIES' WAISTS," because we deserved it. We've deserved it because of the completeness of our stock—at all times — the variety and newness of our styles—and above all—the extremely moderate prices at which our Waists are always sold. This is the result of our willingness to co-operate with several hundred other good merchants—and with the foremost manufacturers in the waist-making world.

You can have more waists and PRETTIER waists for a given expenditure if you always BUY THEM HERE

White or Striped Skirts for Summer

The correct styles are all here and a better assortment cannot be found anywhere.

Made of P. K., Repp, Linen, Silver Bloom, White Duck and other novelties in White and Sport Stripes of the latest colors and weaves are here.

Come tomorrow and get your choice.

Panama Hats

$3.50 values at $2.45
$1.50 and $2.00 values at 95c
Leghorn Shapes, good values at .....$2, $2.50, $3 and $4.50

Warner's Rust-Proof

AND REDFERN CORSETS

We have a complete stock of new styles and summer weights, all sizes. Prices $1.50 to $6.00.

Radmoor Silk Hosiery

Black and White 50c to $2.00. Large variety of colors at 50c and $1.25.
Novelties, stripes at $1 to $1.50.
Children's Socks plain white and white with fancy top 15 and 25c.

Trimmed Hats

SPECIAL AT $5.00

These include many $8 and $12 ones.
Trimmed Hats at $2.25
Formerly up to $5.00.
Flowers, special at 50c, $1.00 and $1.25 values.

Marting's PORTSMOUTH, O.

Large Sailor Shapes, all colors at $1.00

Hemp Shapes special at.....65c
Values up to $2.00

Marting's PORTSMOUTH, O.

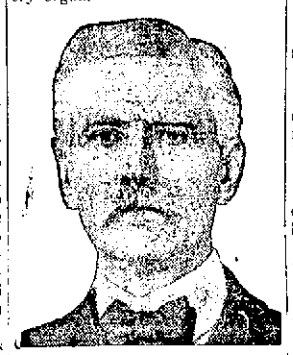
Well Known Remedy Relieves Chronic Case

Important to Dispose of Waste from the Stomach With Regularity.

People frequently attribute to failure of the digestive organs conditions that are primarily due to inactive bowels and apply remedies that from their very nature are more apt to aggravate than to relieve the disorder.

When the bowels act regularly the stomach is in better shape to perform its allotted tasks and can usually be depended upon. To keep the bowels in condition there is no more effective remedy than the combination of simple laxative herbs known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin which is sold in drug stores for fifty cents a bottle.

Dr. Caldwell has prescribed this remedy in his practice for over a quarter of a century and it is today the standard household remedy in thousands of homes. Mr. Thos. DeLoach, with the Department of the Interior, Office of Indian Affairs, at Washington, wrote Dr. Caldwell recently that "Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is the best laxative I have any knowledge of and the cleaning up guaranteed by its use relieves every organ."



MR. THOS. DeLOACH

A bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin should be on hand in every home for use when needed. A trial bottle, free of charge, can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. Caldwell, 454 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

COUNTY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. George Hoover and children, Margaret, Madeline and Hugh John of Powellsville have returned home after spending several days with Miss Margaret Daugherty of Ashland, Ky., who is suffering with measles.

S. F. Johnson of Powellsville is suffering with heart trouble.

Mrs. Margaret Sommers and daughter, Rose May of Portsmouth, are visiting Mrs. Christy Flannigan of near Wheelersburg.

The village of Friendship boasts of a new boy, a baby son having been born to Huckster Alvin Shields and wife at their home there Wednesday noon.

A ten-pound son was born to Victor Montavon, a farmer and wife at their home in Pond Creek, Wednesday night.

Mrs. Jane Herdman and Mrs. John Elliott, of Metlaw, and Mrs. Thomas Watkins, of Portsmouth, were the guests Thursday of the former's brother, Postmaster A. W. Givens and family, of Metlaw.

Thomas Hartman of the undertaking firm of Hartman and Son of Lucasville spent Wednesday in Hillsboro on business.

Arthur S. Moulton, of the firm of Moulton and Sons, of Lucasville, was in the city Thursday calling on business acquaintances.

Couldn't Stump Him.

"Paps, dear, you remember you said you had hunted tigers in West Africa? Well, Captain Defoe tells me there are none there."

"Quite right, my dear, quite right! I killed them all."—Chicago Herald.

Luck.

Tommy—Pop, what is luck?

Tommy's Pop—Luck, my son, is what comes to a man who has the opportunity of buying something for a mere song, but who can't sing.—Philadelphia Record.

Obeying Instructions.

"Why, Willie, what in the world are you doing in there?" asked the mother of a small boy as she opened the door of the big refrigerator and discovered him sitting inside.

"Well, you see, I've got to speak a piece at school this afternoon," explained Willie, "and papa said I'd get chilly all right if I kept cool."—New York Globe.

FROG SWALLOWED A WHOLE CHICK

Jack Kaltenberg killed an unusually big sized frog on his Pond Creek farm Wednesday. It weighed six pounds and upon examination was found to have swallowed whole a chick that had feathers.

OTWAY

Miss Mae Mustard, of Clarksburg, Va., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Madison Mustard.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jones spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. George Sellers.

Little Marjorie Jones is very sick with measles.

Mrs. Orel Jones and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Mustard.

Miss Zora Stephenson called on Nora Estes Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Baldwin spent Sunday with Mrs. A. H. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leeth, of Otway, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Hanna Riley.

Mrs. Arthur Cox visited friends at Wheelersburg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McGowan are the proud parents of a ten pound baby girl.

Wilbert Miller and his bride left Monday for New Castle, Indiana, where they expect to live.

Dorsie Jordon spent Sunday with Gus Atkins.

Chas. Mustard was a visitor at Rome, Sunday.

Misses Alma and Edna Jones spent Sunday afternoon with friends at Otway.

Miss Agnes Liston is visiting friends at Poodles this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Robertson spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Mt. Hoffer.

Miss Pearl Spears was the guest of Miss Eva McGowan Saturday and Sunday.

Lizzie Newman, of Otway, spent Sunday with her sister, Miss Susie Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Jones and daughters, Ada and Ruby, Rev. Williams, Miss Mary Brown, Alton Brown and Rev. Adkins.

Mr. S. Adkins called on friends at Turkey Creek, Saturday.

Miss Stella Stewart spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Verda Robertson.

Mr. Ben Williams, of Smith Hill, is employed by Madison Mustard.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones were business visitors at Otway Monday.

COVE

Planting corn is in full blast here at the present writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Herman, of Portsmouth, were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herman, Sunday.

Mrs. C. E. Shoemaker and son, Clarence, returned home Thursday from a few days' visit with her parents at Jenkinsville.

Charles Keller and wife, of New Boston, motored out to visit his parents Sunday.

Ishmael Dixon, a prosperous farmer, has purchased a Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fout were Jackson visitors Saturday.

Ruby, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bowman, is sick.

The quarantine has been lifted from the home of Sampson Shear, who has been shut in for three weeks with measles.

Mrs. Mary Reigal and Mrs. Annie Flaker were calling on Mrs. J. R. Jenkins, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. R. Jenkins was visiting at the home of her brother, Sampson Shear, Sunday.

Sanford Martin, the huckster, failed to make his full trip Tuesday. There was much disappointment to his customers.

There were 19 at Sunday school at Glades Sunday. We hope that this fine weather will bring more each Sabbath until the school reaches its full attendance.

Charles Herman and son Carl were Jackson visitors Saturday.

Farmers are rejoicing over the fine rain that fell Monday morning.

Orma Shear is suffering with a mashed finger.

Its Kind.

"Look at Jones moving out of the third house he has rented in two years. There is a picture of real unrest for you."

"Yes, a moving picture."—Baltimore American.

Decoration Day Enjoyment

Can Be Found in One of Our Summer Suits

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U. S. FIGURED IN DEBATE

Berlin, May 26 (via London)—The United States played a large role in the censorship debate in the Reichstag yesterday. Two of the principal speakers, Deputy Oertel, conservative, and Deputy Hirsch, National Liberal, severely criticised the government for measurs which thy alleged were adopted to suppress criticism of the United States in the newspapers and to put brakes on the agitation for a more vigorous submarine campaign.

SURVIVORS REACH SHORE

Bonifacio, Cosica, May 26.—(Via Paris)—Twenty-four survivors of the crew of the Spanish steamer, Aurrera, which was sunk by a submarine, have arrived at this port in two of the ship's small boats.

Children's Ankle Strap Oxfords $1.25. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

Boy Scout News

Snively Takes Another

Troop 1 beating team won over Troop 8 again last night at the First Presbyterian Bible School Auditorium. John Snively of Troop 1 was victor over Richard Boyd of Troop 8. Snively argued the affirmative side of the popular subject: "Resolved, That the World Is Growing Better." He had a splendidly prepared argument which was very convincing. Boyd also put up a splendid defense of his side, dwelling largely on the European war. Snively replied by showing that good had resulted from every war in the world's history, and that good would result from this one in spite of the great sacrifice of lives, and predicted that it would lead to universal peace and disarmament. In spite of the hot weather a good sized audience was in attendance. The judges were: J. Bedford Edwards, Hobart Samson, Cecil Tidd, Marion Garrison and Denver Pfarr. The next debate of the league will be held on June 16 at Lucasville, and will be one of the big attractions of the Encampment which will be held at that time.

Saturday's Base Ball Games

The following games are scheduled for Saturday:

Morning: Peerless league—Cardinals vs. All Stars; Yankees vs. Eagles.

Afternoon: Boy Scout League—First game, Tigers vs. Athletics; second game, East End vs. Kendall Avenue. First game will be called at one o'clock.

Troop One Scout Meeting

Troop 1 held a good meeting last night with Scoutmaster C. W. Eidenour in charge. After reading of the minutes by Scout Scribe Virgin, Mr. Cecil Tidd, president of the Scioto County Boy Scout Association, told the boys of the big encampment and conference to be held at Lucasville next month, urging all to attend. Mr. Eidenour also gave a short talk after which the debate between Messrs. Snively and Boyd was pulled off.

Decoration Day Program

Scout Executive M. H. F. Kinsey will detail 25 Scouts to assist the G. A. R. in the decoration of graves on Decoration Day. These boys will assemble at the Security bank Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock.

The Boy Scout League will play four games on Decoration Day at York park. In the morning the following games wil be pulled off: First game, Tigers vs. Kendall Avenue; second game, East End vs. Athletics. The first game will begin promptly at 8 a. m. Afternoon games as follows: First game, Tigers vs. East End; second game, Kendall Avenue vs. Athletics. The first game will start at 1 o'clock.

Men's White Duck Pants $1.00 and $1.50. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

Vain Evasions.

He—What do you think, my dear? I was held up last night on my way home. She—I know you were. I saw four friends running away after they had propped you against the door jamb. —Exchange.

We must satisfy. That's our motto.

Is as sound, as substantial and as satisfactory as paying cash. In the matter that you may require a year, or two years, or possibly longer, to pay your bill, it is indeed a great satisfaction, a POSITIVE ADVANTAGE, to have this big "Old Reliable" store to deal with.

Levi's Preparedness Sale

There is no question about it, prices are going up. Everywhere you hear the cry. "If we could only get more goods"—is what merchants are saying everywhere. Levi's acted months ago. They bought with all the force of their big buying power. They followed ordinary business sense. Today their warehouses are filled. Levi's say to you and every home body, "BE PREPARED, buy NOW, buy ALL you possibly can to fill your future needs." You do not need to worry about having the ready cash. This is an occasion when Levi's credit proves its usefulness more than ever. You are able to reap the advantage while prices are low. Levi's are seizing this opportunity to make new friends. Thousands who have never used Levi's credit will do so now. Hundreds who have never bought here will do so now. Levi's have the values, they have them in abundance. Act NOW. BE PREPARED.

June Brides Be Prepared!

$139.50 Start Housekeeping Now! $139.50

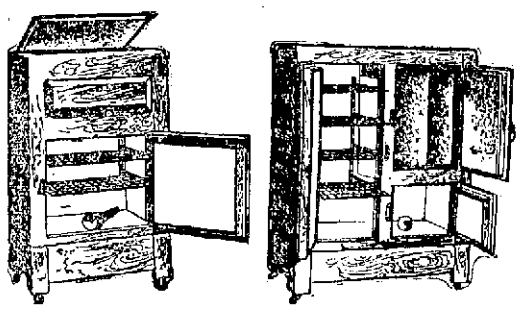
THREE ROOMS FURNISHED COMPLETE

Special Terms: $12.00 cash ;$2.00 weekly

No nation ever enjoyed such great prosperity as enjoyed by this nation today. Portsmouth is the center of manufacturing activity and therefore derives as much benefit as any other city. You who live in Portsmouth are most prosperous and are enjoying good work. Your future is assured. Therefore "START HOUSEKEEPING NOW." Don't put it off any longer. We will help you start right. Buy any OUTFIT you wish at LEVI'S on LEVI'S EASY CREDIT TERMS—THE EASIEST TERMS IN PORTSMOUTH. Don't be a roomer all your life. Have a home of your own and let Levi's furnish it for you. We save you money and give you the best treatment in this city.

Buy Your Refrigerator Now!

Pay $1—Take Any Size



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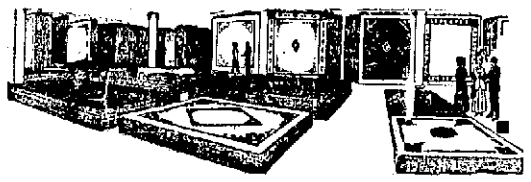

Perhaps in no other line of merchandising will prices rise as high as in floor coverings. You will congratulate yourself later if you buy now.

FIBRE RUGS 9x12 FOR $13.00

A perfectly woven rug, and one that will wear, comes in beautiful colors and designs.

BRUSSELS RUGS 9x12 SIZE FOR $16.75

Closely woven of specially selected yarn, extra heavy.

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Extra heavy 9x12 Brussels Rugs. A big selection of Persian designs woven into beautiful color schemes.

AXMINSTER RUG 9x12 ..... $24.50

A LOW PRICE OF A 9x12 SIZE.

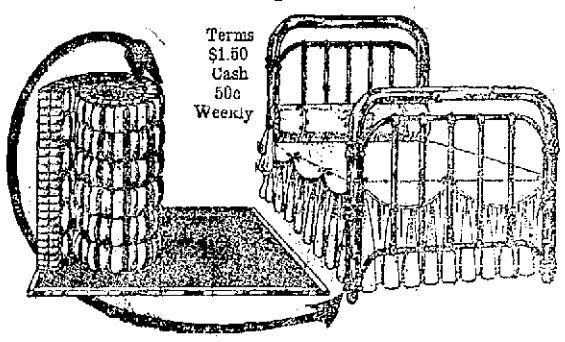
EXTRA HEAVY AXMINSTER RUG $33.00

Made in many beautiful rich patterns with long soft nap, closely woven.

HEAVY PRO LINOLEUM GOOD DESIGNS SQUARE YARD 50c

Need A New Bed!

Iron Bed, Spring Mattress, Complete $12.75



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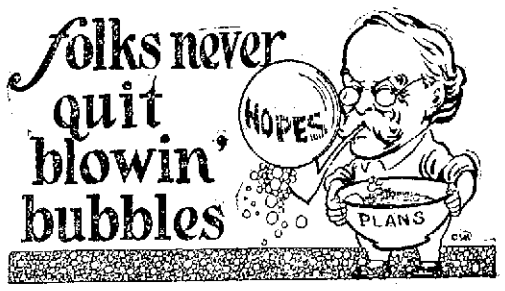
See what you save on this outfit. 2-inch continuous post Iron Bed, choice of White or Vernis Martin finish, all iron spring and cotton top mattress. Outfit really worth $18.

Folks never quit blowin' bubbles

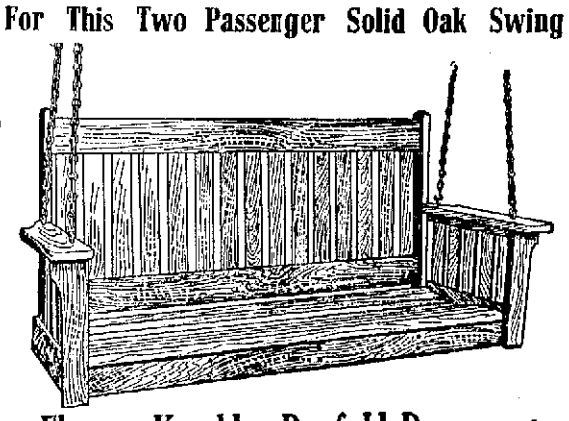


"Busted bubbles needn't discourage you if you've any plans left. Optimism brings its own immediate reward"—says the Old Philosopher.

Optimism thrives in well-furnished homes. If your family is comfortable your other plans are more than likely to be successfully matured. Plan a visit to our furniture store. It's a step in the direction of home comfort.

$2.50 For This Two Passenger Solid Oak Swing

Were you lucky enough to get one of these Special Swings last Saturday. If not you'd better buy one tomorrow as our supply is nearly exhausted and this is the best bargain in a swing to be had, made of solid oak, heavily constructed, shaped seat, making it extremely comfortable, comes complete with chains. EXACTLY AS PICTURED. ALL SWINGS HUNG FREE



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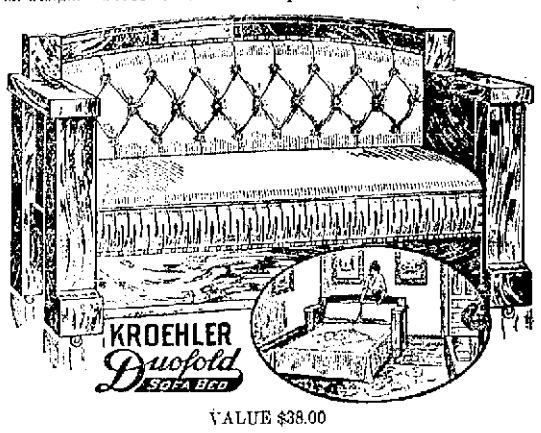
Elegant Kroehler Duofold Davenport

The most phenomenal Davenport value ever offered. Note the artistic beauty and rich elegance of this massive, Colonial design. A rare value at our low price $31.50

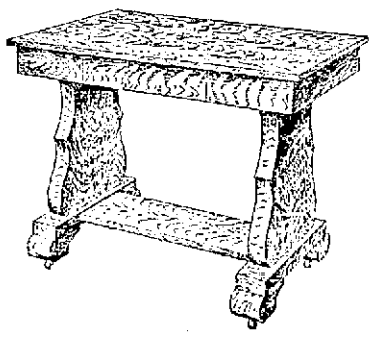


VALUE $38.00

The Kroehler "Duofold" is two pieces of furniture in one.

The Kroehler Duofold is the latest style davenport made. It is a handsome parlor sofa by day and a roomy, comfortable bed at night. In this handsome design shown here, we are offering you a phenomenal value. The frame is constructed of finest quarter sawed oak, finished in a rich golden oak effect. Seat and back are upholstered over a full set of steel springs. The bed unfolds automatically by simply raising strap at rear of seat. Bed frame is made of steel—will not wear out or get out of order. Mattress can be removed for cleaning and dusting. Please note the back of davenport has no tucking like shown in illustration but has plain seat and back.

Here's A Library Table Value You Should Take Advantage Of



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For this large size Library Table. Be sure and see this real bargain.

Massive, Quartered Oak Bed, Dresser and Chiffonier to match

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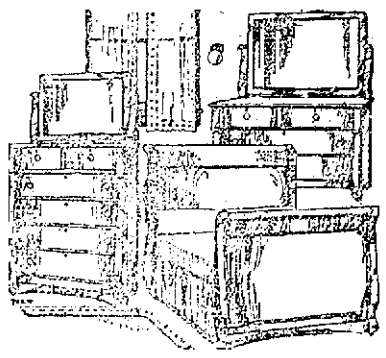

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Reed Porch Rocker

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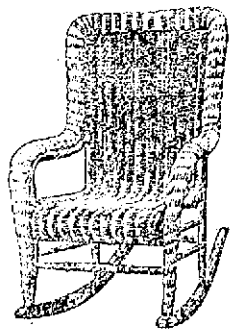
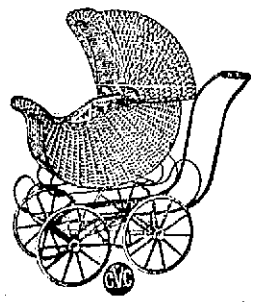


Full size Rocker, strongly built. Brown, Green or natural finish.

LEVI'S Special

PULLMAN SLEEPER $19.75



Made of upholstered reed, cushion covered with corduroy, corduroy lining in body and hood, iron wheels, easy riding springs

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It is too late in the season to put off getting that new Straw or Panama; you will find them here in all shapes and styles. Unusual degree of excellence will be noted in our choice selection of Shirts, Cravats, Underwear, etc.

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STOP IN AND LEAVE YOUR ORDER FOR THAT KOOL KRASH OR PALM BEACH SUIT

N. & W. OFFICIALS COMING MONDAY WITH PLANS OF PROPOSED DEPOT

President L. E. Johnson, General Manager A. C. Needles and Chief Engineer J. E. Crawford of the N. & W., will arrive in the city Monday and according to an announcement made here today will bring with them plans for the magnificent new depot the N. & W. will build in the North End. The sub-station in the East End is to be taken care of later.

They will hold a conference with officials of the present city administration relative to matters that will have to be worked out in connection with the new depot. It is likely that the N. & W. officials and city officials will personally go over the site of the N. & W. depot to go up in the North End.

In A. D. 313 the Emperor Constantine of Rome granted toleration to the Christians, and in 321 he gave imperial sanction to the observance of the first day of the week. The edict which introduced a new era in Sunday observance runs: "On the venerable day of the sun let the magistrate and people residing in cities rest and let all workshops be closed. In the country, however, persons engaged in the work of cultivation may freely and lawfully continue their pursuits, because it often happens that another day is not so suitable for grain sowing or for vine planting, lest by neglecting the proper moment for such operations the bounty of heaven should be lost."

Men's Lightweight Pinch Back Suits $5.00. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

You "Whistle" when you're glad. You'll be glad when you

"WHISTLE"

Degree Of Order Of Eastern Star Conferred On Ladies At Waverly

The beautiful degrees of the Order of the Eastern Star were exemplified upon Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Andres and daughter, Miss Grace Cronston Andres, of Portsmouth, at the Masonic Temple in Waverly, by Waverly Chapter No. 99, on Thursday evening, the occasion being the annual inspection of the Chapter.

Greatly to the regret of all, "Doc Waddell," who is prominent in the Grand Chapter of the State, was unable to witness the conferring of the degrees upon his venerable mother and sister, he having an engagement to address a gathering of college students upon this evening, and the mother very generously insisting that he avail himself of the opportunity to render the larger service to the youthful students.

Every officer, and almost the entire membership was present and the work was exemplified in a manner to call forth the highest commendation of the District Deputy Grand Matron, Miss Yeail, of Royal Chapter, Washington C. H., Ohio. Among other visitors were the Worthy Matron of Circleville Chapter, Mrs. Weagley and husband, and Mr. and Mrs. Weagley, Jr., of Chillicothe, who formed an automobile party accompanying the inspecting officer.

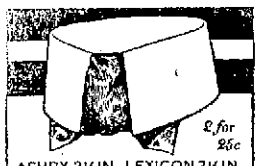
Following the closing of the Chapter an elegant banquet was served and a delightful social intercourse enjoyed, which the departure of the new Portsmouth members to catch the midnight N. & W. train brought to a close.

Miss Edith M. Johnston, former Portsmouth resident, and daughter of the late J. B. Johnston, is the Worthy Matron, and Mr. L. F. Gehres the Worthy Patron of the Waverly Chapter, which is in a flourishing condition.

Men's Silk Shirts $3.50 and $5.00. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

Its Earmarks.

A German was summoned to identify a stolen hog. On being asked by the lawyer if the hog had any earmarks he replied, "The only earmarks dot I saw vas his tail vas cut off."—Argonaut.



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TO SAVE HIS EYE

While opening a can of paint several days ago, Charley Vulgamore, of Piketon, had a sliver of the can lodge in his left eye and it was first thought that he would lose the use of his eye. Mr. Vulgamore came to Portsmouth Thursday and underwent a delicate operation, which it is thought will result in his eye being saved.

May Park Machines On Lawson Street

The west side of Lawson street between Gallia and Eleventh streets, in the East End, has been designated as a strip to park automobiles.

HARRISON FURNACE

There will be memorial services at Harrisonville Methodist church Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. A short program honoring the old soldiers will follow the service.

The Ladies Aid of The Methodist church will meet in regular session Thursday afternoon at 1:30 at the church.

There was preaching service at Harrison Furnace school house Sunday morning by Rev. J. T. Arthurs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hossman and daughter, Mrs. Rice, and children, of Columbus, and Miss Eunice Lindsay were guests recently of their relatives, the Elliotts' of Sciotoville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett and baby son of Scioto Furnace, have returned home after a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Minnie Waters.

Mrs. Minnie Rickey, of Harrisonville, who has been very ill for some time, is convelescent.

Mrs. Florence Pugh and daughter, Rosa, of Vinton, Ohio, recently visited at the home of J. M. Pugh.

Ben Rice, of Columbus, came down Saturday to visit with his family at the Hossman home. Mrs. Rice and children, who have been here some time, will return home with him.

Henry Seidel has purchased a fine horse and buggy. Girls, it's worth your while to be nice to Henry.

J. M. Pugh returned to his work Friday after spending several days at home, where he was called by the death of Mrs. Pugh's sister, Mrs. Clara Cornes, of Little Hocking.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Shomberg and children, of Sunshine, Mr. and Mrs. Crayton Martin and children, of Sciotoville, were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Haney.

Miss Lizzie Seidel and nephew, Carl Seidel, attended church at Portsmouth, Sunday.

John and Louden Lindsey took Sunday dinner with their sister, Mrs. Eliott, of Sciotoville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ramie were Portsmouth visitors Monday.

Miss Eunice Lindsay and niece, Mrs. Rice, called on Mrs. Alex Shuter, of Harisonville, Saturday afternoon.

ENRICH THE BLOOD

Hood's Sarsaparilla, a Spring Tonic-Medicine, is Necessary.

Everybody is troubled at this season with loss of vitality, failure of appetite, that tired feeling, or with bilious turns, dull headaches, indigestion and other stomach troubles, or with pimples and other eruptions on the face and body. The reason is that the blood is impure and impoverished.

Hood's Sarsaparilla relieves all these ailments. It is the old reliable medicine that has stood the test of forty years,—that makes pure, rich, red blood—that strengthens every organ and builds up the whole system. It is the all-the-year-round blood-purifier and health-giver. It embodies the careful training, experience, and skill of Mr. Hood, a pharmacist for fifty years, in its quality and power to cure.

Ask your druggist for it today.

SPRUCE

Mrs. Mary E. Hamilton and son, James, and grand-daughter, Maud Kidder, spent from Friday till Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. May Hazelbaker.

All the farmers in our vicinity are about done planting corn.

Jack Frost came creeping through the woods Thursday night and bit beans, potatoes and the leaves on trees.

Messrs. Dudley Stump and friend, Harry Spock, still make their regular trips to Little Spruce. That's it, boys, keep it up.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kidder and three children spent from Friday to Sunday with their niece, Miss Pearl Kidder.

Miss Mabel Hamilton and brother, Millard, were the Sunday morning guests of their cousin, Miss Pearl Kidder.

Mrs. Sarah Moon, of Tick Ridge, spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Ella Oppy, of Oppy's Ridge.

Harry Speck, of Style Ridge, was working for Elza O'Harrah, of Stony Run, Monday.

Mrs. Nellie O'Harrah and five children, of Stony Run, were Sunday evening guests of Mrs. Ella Boles, of Spruce Border.

Martin Smith, of Smith's Height, was in our vicinity Monday taking the enumeration for the New Amsterdam school.

Marine Tonnage.

Displacement tonnage is the weight of the whole ship and everything aboard her. It is found by computing the exact cubic space under water, including the rudder and propellers and dividing the total by thirty-five, since thirty-five cubic feet of sea water weigh a ton. Displacement tonnage is now used only in rating warships.

A ship's gross tonnage is the cubical measurement or contents below decks and includes, in the case of passenger vessels, all the cabin space. The net tonnage is the gross tonnage less deductions fixed by law. Net tonnage excludes cabin space and machinery space.—New York Sun.

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AND A BIG ALL STAR COMPANY INCLUDING WHEELER OAKMAN, BESSIE EYTON, THOMAS SANCHI, CHARLES CLARY AND A HOST OF OTHER FAMOUS STARS.

Think Of It: Admission Only 10 Cents

Local Debaters Complimented For Splendid Work In Ironton

The Ironton papers have paid splendid compliments to Howard Lowry and Harry Davidson, who formed the Portsmouth High School oratorical team, which won a contest from Ironton High School orators recently. The decision of the three judges was unanimous in the awarding of the contest to Portsmouth. The Ironton Register had the following to say about the local boys:

"Through the splendid work of Howard Lowry, whose oration on the "Man of Tomorrow", was a gem, the Portsmouth High School won the first annual oratorical contest with the Ironton High School, which was held in the High School auditorium Monday evening. The Portsmouth boys, especially Lowry, showed more careful preparation in their orations and better training in the delivery than the Ironton boys, but the short notice which was given the boys in which to prepare their orations, put them at a distinct disadvantage and they are to be complimented upon their themes."

Absentminded Lord Derby.

Lord Derby could be very absentminded, and once on a time he walked with Lord Clarendon, his opponent, and told him all the secrets of the cabinet. Lord Clarendon listened amazed, but thought it too large an order when he was asked for his advice. It was not for him to counsel his political foes. At this intimation Lord Derby woke up, saying, "Really, I thought all the time I was talking to a colleague!" He had continued, hardly recognizing the fact, a controversy he had been having with other ministers at the foreign office. Of course Lord Clarendon honorably preserved the cabinet secrets, but he told his story against Lord Derby and made a laugh.

Its Easy to Wish.

Two of Twobble's acquaintances met on a street corner and one remarked that the daily papers again referred to Twobble as a possible appointee to a state petty office. "He is always being mentioned for some kind of office," he continued. "I wonder why he never gets appointed to one?" "I suspect," said the other, "that's because Twobble's friends are the sort of people who wish you well without stopping to see whether their wishes are carried out or not."—Argonaut.

Men's Silk Union Suits $2.00. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

Polite, but Firm.

Mrs. N. was giving instructions to her new servant: "Before removing the soup plates, Mary, always ask each person if he or she would like any more."

"Very good, madame."

Next day Mary, respectfully bowing to one of the guests, inquired:

"Would the gentleman like some more soup?"

"Yes, please."

"There ain't any left."—Chicago Journal.

DRINK HABIT

RELIABLE HOME TREATMENT

The ORRINE treatment for the Drink Habit can be used with absolute confidence. It destroys all desire for whiskey, beer or other alcoholic stimulants. Thousands have successfully used it and have been restored to lives of sobriety and usefulness. Can be given secretly. Cost only $1.00 per box. If you fail to get results from ORRINE after a trial, your money will be refunded. Ask for free booklet telling all about ORRINE.

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For constipation, we recommend the use of the Kosine Pill. A box of 30 pills 25c.

Avoiding the Executioner.

"Why does a hen cross the road?"

"So as to avoid getting into the chicken pie."—Judge.

BAD HEADACHES?

Mrs. N. Alexander, of Niangua, Mo., writing in regard to her recovery says: "I think Thedford's Black-Draught is wonderful for sick headaches and indigestion. I have had sick headaches all my life and Black-Draught liver medicine is the only medicine I could ever get to stop it. It cured me. I have used Black-Draught long enough to know just what I am saying is true. My little boy can't do without Black-Draught. He is bothered with worms and Black-Draught does him more good than anything." Try Black-Draught for your trouble. Costs only one cent a dose. Your druggist sells it.

Washable Suits

For Boys

If you are a "HOME SEWER" you should see this wonderful line, NOT CHEAPER —But BETTER MADE than the home product.

More Than 50 Styles

To choose from

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Nice window cards 11x14 inches worded as shown may be secured at The Times Office for 15c each or two for 25c.

For sale: copies of the law describing the penalty for defrauding a hotel or boarding house. The law requires that it be posted in each boarding house for the owner's protection. Price, per set of ten, 25 cents at

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All set in 14 karat solid gold mountings

Lot No. 1.....$5.45 Lot No. 3.....$12.50

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Lot No. 5.....$22.50

Other single stones up to $25.00

W. L. WILHELM

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Canter Continues to Smash Prices

SAVE!

Beginning Saturday we will give a Gold Bond Trading Stamp with every ten cent purchase. The present register checks will be taken in exchange for G. B. Trading Stamps. A branch premium department at CANTER'S QUALITY STORE. Demonstration Saturday.

Our new modern, up to date, sanitary bakery run in connection with the store enables us to furnish you with fresh baked goods every hour of the day, at less than wholesale prices. Our plan is "Direct from the maker to the consumer." Everything "home baked." Give us a trial.

CANTER'S QUALITY STORE

NEW BOSTON

Bert Comer was the name given by a man picked up by Marshal W. I. Davis early Friday morning near the steel plant. A heavy grip the man carried attracted the officer. He placed the man under arreste for trespassing and on reaching the jail opened the grip which contained a large quantity of copper wire. He claimed to be from Oak Hill and said he was well acquainted with Sheriff Pete Smith, who came from Oak Hill. The man declared he bought the wire in West Virginia and was going to Ashland to sell it but when he passed Coal Grove he was asleep and could not get off until the train stopped here. Andy Leslie, N. & W. special officer and John Milliken, head of the steel plant police looked at the copper wire but did not file any charges.

Oscar Coburn, Sr., well known councilman, announced Friday that reports that he was going to resign as councilman were true and that he would tender his resignation at the regular meeting of council on Monday night, June 5. Mr. Coburn is a Democrat and is chairman of the street committee, the most important committee of council. The work of the street committee has become very heavy with the paving of several streets and Mr. Coburn says he is not able to give the time necessary to the work. Mr. Coburn is well liked by everyone in the village and his friends will be sorry to learn of his leaving council.

All members of the steel plant band are urged to meet for practice tonight in their hall on Grace street. No engagements have been made for the band but arrangements are being made for a band concert that will be given soon. At a recent meeting of the band the following officers were elected: Manager, John Miliken; Director, Oscar Ruark; Assistant Director, Bert Manning; Secretary and Treasurer, John Wileman. The band now consists of twenty-two pieces.

Engineer Grover Kinley and assistants are busy setting curb and gutter stakes on Grace street. The steam shovel is completing the excavating on West avenue.

Mrs. Charles Imes and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Henning of Pinkerman.

The steel company has completed the painting of electric light poles on Vine street. The cross-arms were put on the poles Friday and the lights and wires will be in place the early part of next week.

The fast Waits Station nine will play the Cubs on Peebles diamond Sunday afternoon.

Members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church met in an all day's session in the church basement, Thursday.

Miss Clara Henning, who was the guest of her cousins Aurilla and Wilma Emory of Harrisonville avenue, returned to her home at Waits Station, Thursday.

"The Brayes" is the name of a new baseball team organized Thursday night. They will present the following line-up Sunday when they play the Cubs a practice game on Peebles diamond: McHenry, 1st.; Brown, 2nd.; Hatton, ss.; Semones, 3rd.; Aldridge, c.; Maker, lf.; Dutiel, m.; Smith, rf.; DeLotell, p.

GOOD WORK FOR SICK WOMEN

The Woman's Medicine Has Proved Its Worth.

When Lydia E. Pinkham's remedies were first introduced, their curative powers were doubted and had to be proved. But the proof came, and gradually the use of them spread over the whole country. Now that hundreds of thousands of women have experienced the most beneficial effects from the use of these medicines, their value has become generally recognized, and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the standard medicine for women.

The following letter is only one of the thousands on file in the Pinkham office, at Lynn, Mass., proving that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is an article of great merit as shown by the results it produces.

Anamosa, Iowa. — "When I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I suffered with a displacement, and my system was in a general run-down condition. I would have the headache for a week and my back would ache so bad when I would bend down I could hardly straighten up. My sister was sick in bed for two months and doctored, but did not get any relief. She saw an advertisement of your medicine and tried it and got better. She told me what it had done for her, and when I had taken only two bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound my head began to feel better. I continued its use and now I don't have any of those troubles." — Mrs. L. J. HANNAN, R.F.D. 1, Anamosa, Iowa.

Men's Dress Shoes and Oxfords $2.90. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

His Maiden Speech.

It is related that when the Earl of Rochester in the reign of Charles II. rose to make his maiden speech in the house of lords he said: "My lords—my lords, I rise this time for the first time—the very first time. My lords, I divide my speech into four branches." Here there was an embarrassing pause of some seconds. "My lords," the earl then ejaculated, "if ever I rise again in this house you may cut me off, root and branches and all, forever."—London Standard.

Nautical.

When a mistake is made in a ship's speed it may be set down as a knotical error.—London Mail.

To Remodel Pennant

Edward Spangler, proprietor of the Pennant Room has decided to remodel his place of business and to install three bowling alleys. They will be strictly up to date and work on them will begin shortly. Mr. Spangler, who is a hustler has secured an extended lease on his basement in the Haldeman building, Fifth and Chillicothe streets.

EXTEND TIME FOR BIDS

Word was received Friday that Architect John F.B Sheblessy, of Cincinnati, had extended the time for opening bids for the new Holy Redeemer parochial school from May 31st to June 5th, at the Central National Bank. This will give local contractors a better opportunity for submitting bids.

Deal By Kilcoyne

Through a deal closed Friday, W. H. Hudson of Fifth street came into possession of Mrs. Ella McCauley Ruark's store room and five room dwelling on Eleventh street. The store room is occupied by Trende and Mohr as a butcher shop. Mr. Hudson bought the property as an investment. The deal was closed by P. W. Kilcoyne.

Parricides In France.

The French penal system, following more closely the Roman law than does the English, has special provisions for parricides. Formerly the criminal's right hand was amputated, and if he were a man he was then broken at the wheel. A woman was burned. Today the parricide is conducted barefooted to the guillotine. He has a white robe and on his head a black veil. Besides these indignities he is required to hear the sentence read in public by the clerk of the court at which he was condemned. Under the Roman law the patria potestas obtained, and in France it is effective today in a modified form; hence parricide is considered so horrible a crime.—London Globe.

Origin of the Mastiff.

Mastiff is a term applied to a very large and powerful species of the canine family, and there is considerable conflict of opinion regarding the origin of the word. Some claim that it is derived from the Italian mastino or the French mastin, both of which signify large limbed. This word, they say, was gradually corrupted into masty, a Lincolnshire expression meaning very large, muscular or big, until it gradually assumed its present form. Others again say its true origin is the old German masten, to fatten, because the mastiff is a large dog and so seems better fed than any other.—London Field.

"Improving" Mother Goose.

We all know how far the idea of Mother Goose as an unmoral book has obtained. In a modern abridged edition "There was an old woman who lived in a shoe" ends, "She gave them some broth and plenty of bread and kissed them all fondly and sent them to bed."

Why should the modern child be brought up with the wholly unnatural situation of the heavily burdened mother who behaves just as if nothing unusual had occurred? Their literary taste will be ruined if pursued on these lines. "Spanked them all soundly and sent them to bed" is the only possible logical course.—Atlantic Monthly.

Men's Featherweight Union Suits, 50c. Si Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-1t

Cruel Science.

The unfortunate farm laborer was a pessimist, with reason. He had been thrown out of several jobs by the introduction of farm machinery, consequently he distrusted everything that smacked of conservation of energy. Now he stood by the kitchen table reading the labels on parcels his wife had brought home from town.

"Self raising flour," he said, "Ah, they'll be inventing self raising wheat next to throw us poor devils out of another job!"—New York Times.

DUTIES OF THE HOUR.

Don't waste your life in doubts and fears. Spend yourself on the work before you, well assured that the right performance of this hour's duties will be the best preparation for the hours or ages that follow it. —Emerson.

Sevres Porcelain.

No other art or industrial influence gained so much for French prestige as the porcelain of Sevres.

Indoor Life Makes Fat

Take Oil of Korein to Keep Weight Down, or to Reduce Superfluous Fat

People who are confined within doors and who are deprived of fresh, invigorating air and exercise must take precaution to guard against over-stoutness, as fat acquired by indoor life is unhealthy and a danger to the vital organs of the body. Lack of exercise in the fresh air weakens the oxygen-carrying power of the blood, so that it is unable to produce strong muscles and vitality and the formation of unsightly and unhealthy fat is the result.

If you are 15 or 20 pounds above normal weight you are daily drawing on your reserve strength and are constantly lowering your vitality by carrying this excess burden. Any person who is satisfied in their own mind that they are too stout should go to a good druggist and get a box of Oil of Korein capsules, and take one after each meal and one just before retiring at night.

Even a few days treatment should show a noticeable reduction in weight, digestion should improve, energy return, footsteps become lighter, and the skin less flabby in appearance.

Oil of Korein is inexpensive, cannot injure, helps the digestion and is designed to increase the oxygen-carrying power of the blood. Any person who wants to reduce their weight 15 or 20 pounds should give this treatment a trial. There is nothing better.

The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy can supply you.

813-815 Gallia Street *Joseph Brown* Kricker Building

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' FINE TAILORED SUITS AND COATS REDUCED

Not the kind made and bought for special sales, but are regular lines. All of which are strictly man tailored. Linings, workmanship and materials are of superior quality.—It will pay you to compare our coats and suits before you make your final selection.

GENUINE PALM BEACH SUITS AND WASH SKIRTS

In all the latest materials. Cool and comfortable for Decoration Day. See them before buying elsewhere.

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EXHIBIT TONIGHT

"UNDER AZURE SKIES", three part Mustang drama
Featuring Art Acord and Rhea Mitchell
"RUPERT'S RUBE RELATION," Falstaff farce comedy

ARCANA TONIGHT

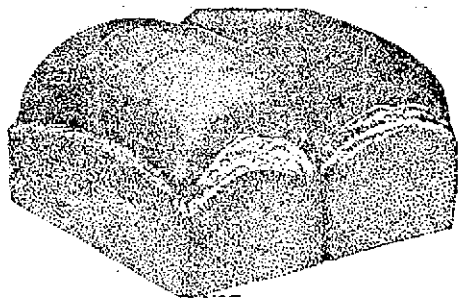
"CAUGHT ON A SKYSCRAPER," 2 part L Ko comedy
"HER SISTER'S SIN," Rex feature drama
"ANIMATED WEEKLY No. 13," current events

FORREST TONIGHT

"OUTWITTED," three part Thanhouser drama
Featuring "Lady" Wayne Arey and Hazel Kirk
"BILLY VAN DEUSEN And The VAMPIRE" Beauty comedy

Bakery Specials

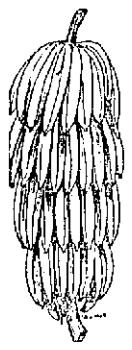
All Home Baked *Fresh Every Day*



3 5c loaves Canter's Cream Bread	10c
3 loaves Irish Bread	10c
3 large 10c loaves Hearth Bread	21c
3 5c loaves Corn Meal Bread	10c
3 loaves Hungarian Bread	10c
2 large Jelly Rolls	15c
2 dozen fancy Muffins	15c
2 dozen Cookies, fancy,	15c
2 large squares Devil Food	15c
2 dozen large Buns	15c
6 large Coffee Cakes	24c
2 dozen Sugar Rolls	15c
25c layer Cake	19c
1large Angel Food Cake	12c
1 large Home Made Pie	10c

Big Banana Sale

JUMBO BANANAS
Per dozen 18c



1 large Pineapple	15c
1 dozen Lemons	22c
2 dozen Oranges	35c
1 peck Apples	28c

(CUT PRICES ON MEATS)

8 pounds Pickled Pork	$1.00
1 pound Dry Salt Spare Ribs	7 1-2c
California Hams, per pound	14 1-2c
Fancy Breakfast Bacon, per pound	17c

(More Special Values)

New Cabbage, per pound	6c
25 pound sack Red Bird Cane Sugar, 1 sack to a family for Saturday	$2.05
1 pound Canter's Special Coffee	19c
1 pound Saturday Special Coffee	15c
10 bars Octagon Soap	42c

Large 5 pound package Argo Starch only 21c
5 extra stamps with each package.

40c Broom, varnished handle,	29c
5 5c packages new Spearmint Gum	5c
6 packages Red Horse Tobacco	25c
1 carton, 36 packages, for	$1.47

Fancy Tea, large grain Imperial Tea per pound 50c
10 extra stamps with each pound.

1 dozen cans Corn	89c
1 dozen cans Tomatoes	$1.35
1 dozen cans Peaches, pealed for table use, in their own syrup for only	$1.39
6 5c boxes Sardines	23c

3 10c cans Salmon	25c
1 can Argo Salmon	20c
1 bottle Stuffed or Queen Olives	10c
2 pound pkg. Franklin Granulated Sugar	19c
5 large bunches Onions	10c
5 large bunches Radishes	10c

1 box Canter's Special Baking Powder 9c
5 extra stamps with each box.

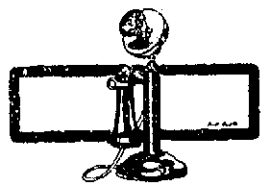
1 dozen Heinz Dill Pickles	23c
1 dozen cans L. & S. Kraut	89c

Special Notice. Canter's Cash Store will close Tuesday, Memorial Day, at noon. Order early Monday evening. Phone your orders in tonight for Saturday.

We are now giving the people a splendid delivery service. We are proud of our new truck driver and he hustles your order to you. Besides there will be several wagons on the job Saturday.

Canter's *Quality Store* Everything Strictly Cash

Gallia Pike and Park Ave. NEW BOSTON



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CANTER'S QUALITY STORE

Question Of Putting Down Tracks On New Viaduct May Be Settled Soon

One important question that may come up for final decision or adjustment at the conference with general officials of the N. & W. railway next week is that of the street railway company crossing the Lawson Run viaduct.

Under the specifications and agreement the N. & W. railway bears 65 per cent of the cost of the viaduct and the city 335 per cent, but if the city sees fit it may grant the street railway a right of way over the viaduct, the stret railway company then to assume and pay 17 1-2 per cent, or half of the city's share of the cost of the structure.

The street railway officials have all along held to the attitude that they should be recompensed to the extent of the N. & W. putting down tracks for it over the viaduct in return for the street railway abandoning its Eighth and Kendall avenue tracks. The street railway franchise on Kendall avenue still has 17 years to run and although the N. & W. owns practically all property on both sides of the avenue north of Eighth street, it can not cross it with any of its proposed additional yard tracks, said a city official Friday. "You can condemn for a main line, but not for switch tracks," said he.

Was Hot Today

Friday proved to be one of the hottest May days on record, the mercury soaring to 94. The minimum was 61, according to Weather Observer Dr. Harry Schirrmann.

Making the Best of It.

"I see Mrs. Flubdub has her children's pictures in the Sunday papers."

"The right spirit, I think. I know it is unfashionable to have children, but if you have 'em make the best of it, says I."—Kansas City Journal.

Near Charity.

"I believe in throwing the mantle of charity over the shortcomings of our friends."

"Yes, and putting a little something in the pockets of it too."—Detroit Free Press.

Prepared For the Worst.

Husband—Goodby, my dear. A pleasant voyage. I have taken every precaution in case of accident. Wife—What do you mean? Husband—Insured your life in my favor.—Journal Amusant.

BALL PLAYING IN STREETS TABOOED

Police Chief Henry Clark has issued an order prohibiting boys from playing baseball in the streets.

So numerous have become complaints in the past few days that the officials decided such action was necessary. The new order against roller-skating on Sundays is being generally complied with.

Rumors Were Denied By Mother And Daughter

Judge Harry Ball went to the home of Mrs. Caroline Schwart, 1122 Gay street, Friday, to investigate the report that her daughter, Bertha Schwart, has abused her. Both the mother and the daughter denied that there had been any trouble. The daughter disclaimed any argument or fights and the mother corroborated her statements.

Tries To Enter Home; Negro Caught By Reno

John Collins, a negro, was arrested by Officer Beckett and Detective Reno for trying to enter the Compton home in the North End Friday afternoon. Gus Deyson, also colored, was locked up at the same time for interfering with the officers. Deyson was the principal witness in the Sciotoville railroad camp dynamiting cases.

Finger Caught In Machine; Amputation May Be Necessary

Joseph Antkowick, aforeigner living at 1324 Findlay street, who is employed in the plant of the Re-Reliable Engine company, had the fore-finger of his left hand badly mashed Thursday by having it caught in a milling machine. Amputation may be necessary.

Peerless Bathing Beach Opens Decoration Day. Everything New. adv 25-2t

Visited 30 Camps

Roy McElhaney, state district manager of the Wodmen of the World, returned Friday from Cincinnati, where he spent the week in the interests of the order. Mr. McElhaney says that he visited about thirty camps in his district during the week and found every one of them were contemplating sending candidates to Columbus July 23, to the big state wide initiation.

Applications Are Filed

Notices of the final hearing on the applications of the following for citizenship papers were posted Friday by County Clerk John W. Hall: William Cooper, England; Thomas C. Erskine, England; Augustus Pesaturi, Italy; Domenico Maeri, Italy; Ben Reisner, Russia; and Thomas Malavazos, Greece. The final hearing will be held September 12.

First quality work at reasonable prices. Brehmer, the Painter. 1-tf

Strawberries Are Plentiful

Shipped strawberries have disappeared from the local markets, according to Charles Turner, well known commission man. The home grown berries are coming in so rapidly that the market prices have been lowered each day. "The berries are more plentiful and are of better quality than any berries we have received for several years," said Mr. Turner.

Men's Varsity and B. V. D. Union Suits $1.00. St Straus, 416 Chilli St. 26-tf

Unique Costa Rica.

Costa Rica is unique among modern nations in that it has more teachers and soldiers. The standing army is only 500 strong, while the teachers in active service number about 2000. For about half a century the country has enjoyed internal peace, and the executive power has been transferred peacably by elections every four years.

It Will Be All Right Then.

Edith—I shouldn't think you'd want to marry such a forgetful man as Jack, Ethel. But he says the reason he forgets things is because he's thinking so constantly of me that he cannot remember anything else. Edith—Oh, I see. You don't expect to have any trouble after you are married.—Boston Transcript.

JUDGE DEVER HEARS CASE

On account of the absence of Judge Thomas, who was in Waverly Friday, Court Bailiff Wiley Kates appointed Judge Noah Dever as commissioner to hear the case of Mae Masters against H. Masters, suit for divorce, Friday in the court of common pleas. The grounds cited in the petition were unlawful absence and adultery at divers times. Blair and Kimble represented the plaintiff.

Eight Horses "Pink Eyed"

John F. Flannigan, coal dealer and transfer man, continues having quite a hospital on his hands. Eight of his horses are now afflicted with "pink eye." John says he has handled horses all of his life but he never before saw the maffected as this new fangled disease causes them to be.

Highest standard materials used by Brehmer, the Painter. 1tf

SUPPER WAS SUCCESS

The supper given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Bigelow Methodist church was a decided success. Over two hundred guests were served. The supper was held in the basement of the church and the room was decorated with flowers and ferns.

The menu was: Roast beef, gravy, browned potatoes, creamed peas, rolls, slaw, ice cream, strawberries, cake and coffee.

FILE FINAL ACCOUNT

The first and final account of Carrie E. Hermann, administratrix of the estate of Elizabeth Hermann was filed in common pleas court Friday. The report shows a credit of $9975.88 and expenditures of $9975.86.

Miss Kathryn B. Ford is improving her property at No. 234 Second street with a fine new fence.

Peerless Bathing Beach Opens Decoration Day. Everything New. adv 25-2t

Business Visitor

J. E. Plum, traveling representative of the James S. Mason Company, shoe polish and dressing manufacturers, of Philadelphia, was a business visitor here Thursday.

Must Secure License Tags

Police Chief Henry Clark is in receipt of a letter from the state automobile department advising that it now has a good supply of license tags on hand and that there is no reason now why all automobiles should not be properly equipped.

Chief Clark acting upon this information has accordingly decided to issue notice to all persons operating automobiles on permits to get tags at once. A ten day limit is granted for all such persons to replace permits now in use with license tags.

Fishing With a Worm.

To make the most of dull hours, make the best of dull people, to like poor jest better than none, to wear a threadbare coat like a gentleman, to be outvoted with a smile, to hitch your wagon to the old horse if no star handy, this is the wholesome philosophy taught by fishing with a worm.—"Fishing With a Worm" by B. Perry.

Left Handed Flattery.

"Oh, if I were only beautiful!" she sighed artfully.

"I wouldn't care if I were you," he said. "You are very intellectual, and you have a sweet disposition. Besides, you are nice to your mother, and all that is much better than being beautiful."

And he never came to see her again.—Michigan Gargoyle.

Children's Shoes

Our shoes for the children have the happy faculty of pleasing the youngsters by their appearance and of pleasing the parents by their wear and of pleasing us by the permanency of the trade that they create.

Foot-shape last that fit the feet and at prices that are right.

Shoes for the little folks also.

L. F. Lemon & Co.

2116 Gallia East End

DAMAGE SUIT IS SEQUEL OF CROSSING ACCIDENT

Aronhold C. Schapiro, administrator of the estate of the late Mary Adeline Craig, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Craig, who died from injuries sustained when a B. & O. freight car struck her, filed suit against the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern railway Friday in common pleas court, asking $2999 damages.

The petition avers that the child met her death from injuries sustained when a freight car struck her. The accident took place at the Broadway crossing April 6, 1916.

The grounds given for the action are that the crew on the B. & O. switch engine was not sufficient for switching cars and that the crew was negligent in their duty. Attorney Phillip Jacobs represents the plaintiff.

MEDITATION.

Even when the right is clearly seen meditation is needed to collect our powers to do it. It is the great storehouse of our spiritual, dynamics, where divine energies lie hid for any enterprise and the hero is strengthened for his field. All great things are born of silence.—Martineau.

Cocoa In West Africa.

Throughout their whole area the Portuguese provinces of Sao Thome and Principe, West Africa, are under cocoa cultivation to such an extent that the traveler is met on every side by the sour odor of fermenting cocoa.

Woman Falls Trying To Board Street Car

Miss Bertha Shively, 17, domestic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stevens, 1649 Fifth street, fell when she attempted to board a moving south-bound Hilltop street car at Chillicothe and Fifth streets, Friday afternoon, about three o'clock. She said she tried to get on the car while it was in motion and was in a hurry to reach the West End. She was uninjured. Her home is in Rome, O.

Had to Earn It.

"I see you have inherited $100,000 from your Uncle Pete, Chollie," said Jorkins.

"Ya-as," said Chollie wearily, "but of course the old bulk had to tie a string to it. It's all in bonds, and I cawn't get a cent on 'em without cutting off a lot of blooming coupons."—New York Times.

Owls In Asia Minor.

Perhaps Asia Minor is richer in crude and interesting fancies than any other country. When children hear an owl hooting from the cypress groves they cry, "Good news for us, good messages for you." If they catch an owl they hold it up by the beak and chant, "Calm Sunday owl, how does your mother dance?" The meaning of the rite is lost, but the habit lingers.

ARE PLANNING FOR SUMMER CAMP

Carl Windel and Payne Wilson were initiated at the weekly session of the Kappa Sigma fraternity Thursday night. The next meeting will be held on June 6 on account of the high school class play being given next week. It was decided to have a summer camp near the new traction line.

Pretty Near It.

Mrs. Kawler—I understand that the eldest Jones boy went west and got into politics. He became mayor, didn't he? Mrs. Blunderby—I don't think he quite got to be mayor, but I heard he was an ex-mayor.—Boston Transcript.

On Decoration Day Wear Stylish

Clothes

and look

Prosperous

Increase your chance in life by appearing prosperous to those with whom you may come in contact. Throw off your worn "shabby" garments that "knock" so hard; put on

NEW CLOTHES

We make it just as easy for the small salaried person to dress stylishly as it is for those who have plenty of money.

We invite you to buy your clothes here on "our new selling plan"

YOUNG MAN

You'll want one of those classy suits like the college fellows and clubmen wear, the real thing in clothes fashion for young men. We offer you every new model, correct shade and weave in the season's choicest woolens—ready to wear $9.95 to $30.

Some of the best people in town are our steady customers.

The When Store

Home of Quality and Style

616 Chillicothe St. Next door to Distel Furniture Co.

Just What YOU WANT IN SUMMER WASH GOODS

The season's latest novelties in wash materials in plain colors, stripes and fancy figured effects in Voiles, Dimities, Batiste, Gabardines, P. K., Beach Cloth and Galletta. Prices ranging from 10c to 50c per yard.

A. BRUNNER & SONS

909-911 Gallia Street

BARBECUE AND BURGOO.

Often Confused, the Words Have Entirely Different Meanings.

Barbecue and burgoo are both words of American birth, but of foreign extraction.

Barbecue is a variation of West Indian-Spanish barbacoa, a low framework on which meat or fishes are laid to be smoked. From the framework the word came to be applied to the article thus smoked or cooked. Strictly speaking, it applies only to an animal cooked entire, as a whole sheep or a whole ox, but it is not held strictly to that usage.

The modern barbecue is the cooking of meat on a large scale by roasting or broiling in such a way as to preserve its juices and flavor.

Burgoo is of English origin, coined by sailors to designate thick porridge or gruel, sometimes also called lobtolly. American burgoo is a thick soup or stew composed of the fat and juices of a barbecued animal thickened with a variety of vegetables and highly seasoned.

It sometimes has been spelled burgout, under an impression that it is derived from the French, but that is a mistake.

There is no rule or recipe for making it except experience and a genius for making a savory and eatable compound. It may consist of fish, flesh and fowl, cereals, vegetables and anything that appeals to the appetite.—Indianapolis News.

APES OF GIBRALTAR.

They Are Highly Prized and Protected by the Authorities.

The rock of Gibraltar is the home of a highly prized and carefully protected tribe of Barbary apes. The chief of this tribe is one Major, and in Gibraltar there is a saying that it "were better to kill the governor than Major."

This band of apes numbers about twenty. They came, mysteriously enough, from Africa many years ago and claimed citizenship in Europe. They are duly protected by the authorities, and any addition by birth to their number is carefully chronicled and announced in the local paper.

These apes transfer their abode from time to time, according to the state of the weather, from the highest peaks of the rock to lower and more sheltered places. They indulge their sense of humor at times by throwing stones at the soldiers. They may not be seen for weeks at a time, save in the early morning hours.

A few years ago, on account of the diminishing numbers of these creatures, some apes were procured from Barbary and turned loose upon the rock, but the resident apes killed them all. Although so fierce to intruders of their own kind, they never attack human beings and are greatly esteemed.

The Human Lobster.

The lobster has always appealed to the Englishman as affording a nickname for his fellow Englishman. "Lobster" was a favorite term of abuse among the Elizabethans, though it is only conjectural that an allusion to red faces was conveyed. As signifying a soldier, "lobster" originated in the civil war, being applied to the Roundhead cuirassiers, as Clarendon explains, "because of the bright iron shells with which they were covered." Afterward the allusion was transferred to the soldier's red uniform. But that was the "boiled lobster." The "raw lobster" was naturally the man in blue, the policeman. In earlier days we find Grose explaining that "to boil one's lobster" meant for a clergyman to become a soldier.—London Chronicle.

New England Weather.

The late George M. Stearns of Chicopee, Mass., spoke once at the dinner of the New England club of New York. Previous speakers had remarked concerning the different varieties of weather "down east." During his speech Mr. Stearns said:

"I note what you say about our remarkable New England weather, but, gentlemen, let me tell you that any man who lives here the first twenty years of his life builds up such a vigorous constitution that if he then contracts a fatal disease he can live twenty years longer on the byways."—Pittsburgh Press.

First Flying Machine.

The attempt on man's part to navigate the air is almost as old as civilization itself, but the first time in the history of the world that a power driven, heavier than air machine ever carried a man through the air was in December, 1903, when the Wright brothers made their ever famous flight at Kitty Hawk, N. C. That was the real beginning of the flying machine.—New York American.

First Woman Legends.

Heathen nations have different legends as to the origin of woman. The Japanese believe that she grew on a tree, the Laplanders that she was once a rabbit, the Persians that she fell from the heavens and the Australian natives that she was once a toad.

No Sense.

Jones—So many people are struck by automobiles while alighting from trolley cars! Trolley Official—Well, yes, but those people have paid their fares! It's this rushing over people who are waiting to get on that gets our goat!—New York Globe.

Hobo In Boston Disguise.

Small William—Father, kindly refer to my mind the meaning of the word "hobo." Paternal Ancestor—That is the conventionary designation of an indigent traveler, my son.—Judge.

A Changed Conception.

"What's your opinion of Bommaster?"

"Well, when I first met him he impressed me as being a leader of men, a 10,000 volt human dynamo, a clarion voiced czar who would brook no opposition, but when I met him the second time in his office, I sized him up for a pusillanimous mouse."

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"On the telephone."—New York Times.

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Large Pineapples, each 10c

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One-half bushel 65c
Per peck 33c
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White Fish, bucket 45c
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American Beauty Oats, pkg. .. 9c
Mother's Oats, per package ... 9c
Quaker Oats, per package ... 9c
Toy Oats, 3 packages 25c
Loose Oats, per pound 5c
Puffed Rice, per package ... 13c
Puffed Wheat, per package .. 10c
Puffed Corn, per package ... 13c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 3 for 25c
Post Toasties, 3 for 25c
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Shredded Wheat 2 boxes ... 25c
Grape Nuts 2 packages 25c
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White Syrup one-half gallon .. 23c
Red Syrup, one-half gallon .. 20c
New Orleans, quart 10c
Maple Syrup 23c
Duff Molasses, per quart 18c

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Special, peck 30c

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Cabbage, per pound 4c
Lettuce, per pound 10c
Sweet Potatoes, one-half peck 25c
Fresh Tomatoes 4 for 10c
Green Onions, 2 bunches 5c
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Boiled Ham, per pound 35c
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We have too many Prunes and Peaches; to clean up on them we will cut the price below cost.
Peaches 4 pounds 25c
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N. Y. Cream Cheese, pound ... 22c
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10c Rolls 2 for 15c
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Butter Crackers, 3 pounds ... 25c
Star Butter Crackers, 2 lbs. 15c
Ginger Snaps, 2 pounds 15c
Macaroon Snaps, per pound .. 15c
Chocolate Cakes, pound 20c
Cocoanut Cakes, pound 20c
Graham Wafers, pound 10c
Pretzels, pound 15c

BAKING POWDER

Rumford's, pound 20c
Davis', pound 19c
Royal, pound 40c
Royal, 1-2 pound 23c
Good Luck, 2 pounds .. 15c

BEANS

Navy 3 pounds for 25c
Narrowfat, 2 1-2 lbs. for 25c
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Miles' Brand Breakfast Bacon, pound 20c
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Soap Powders, Star Naptha, Rub-No-More, Gold Dust, Octagon, 10 boxes 45c
Ammonia, quart bottle, for ... 9c
Sal Soda, 3 pounds 5c
Starch, best lump, 5 pounds .20c
Argo Starch, 6 boxes for 25c
Old Dutch Cleanser 3 boxes .. 25c
Good Broom 30c
Good Mop 25c
Scrub Brush, soft, ... 5c
Scrub Brush, hard, ... 9c
Gas Mantles 5c
Galvanied Tubs 70, 80, 90c
Galvanized Buckets 25c
Red Seal Lye, 3 boxes .T.... 25c
Light House Cleanser 6 boxes 25c
Octagon Cleanser 6 boxes 27c
Keen Kleaner 6 boxes 25c
Sapolio, per cake 9c
Bon Ami, per cake 9c
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X Ray Stove Polish .4c
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4 large cans Hebe for 30c
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Pet, large, per dozen 90c
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1 pound Hershey's 35c
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Eggs, per dozen 23c
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Put up in pint jars 10c
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8 bars for 25c

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New Tomatoes, per can 11c
New Peas, 3 cans 25c
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New can Apricots, can 20c
New can Hominy, 3 cans 25c
New can Kraut, 3 cans 25c
New can Pumpkin, 3 cans 25c
New can Green Beans, 3 cans 25c
New can Asparagus, per can. 15c
New large can Asparagus, can 20c
New Pineapple, large cans ... 20c
New Pineapple, cans 15c
New Blackberries, 2 cans 25c
New can Spaghetti, can 10c
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Crisco $1.50 cans $1.40
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Catsup, gallon 65c
American Beauty Catsup 9c

BLACKBERRIES

If you have never tried these you don't know what you have missed. Just as nice as fresh berries. Special 2 cans for 25c

CLEAN UP WEEK WILL BEGIN WEDNESDAY MAY 31

Acting upon a request of Mayor H. H. Kaps, made a few days ago, State Fire Marshal Bert B. Buckley has detailed several assistants to supervise the work of cleaning up the city of Portsmouth.

John S. King, of Ironton; Hugh Byrnes, of Cincinnati, and C. A. Long, of Greenville, are the assistant state fire marshals who have been designated for the clean up work. They have been ordered to report in Portsmouth, Wednesday morning, May 31, and to remain until the work is completed.

The assistants will be under the direction of John S. King and all will report to Fire Chief George Koerner and in addition make known their presence to Mayor Kaps.

ALSPAUGH

For a good Porch Swing. Cannot pull apart.

BELT TROLLEY LINE FOR CITY BEING DISCUSSED

The owners of the new Micklethwait addition have offered the Portsmouth Street Railroad and Light Company a right of way through their land if it will lay tracks during the process of the street improvement they expect to make.

The Messrs. Micklethwait intend extending Grandview avenue north from its present terminus at Twentieth street. Grandview avenue will then become the only direct thoroughfare connecting Robinson avenue with the Boulevard.

Raymond D. York, general manager of the street railway company, said Friday that the company officials had not as yet taken up the Micklethwait proposition. "We do not feel like taking up anything new until we get rid of what we've got on our hands right now," said Mr. York, in referring to the still uncompleted traction service between Portsmouth and Hanging Rock. He said that there was really nothing definite regarding its Hill-Top plans for the future, which will probably mean a new line out Grandview avenue from Seventeenth street and the connecting up of the end of the Seventeenth street line with the track on the east bank of Lawson Run or Athletic park, material for which has been on the ground for some time past.

Since the announcement of the new N. & W. passenger depot location, many persons have been busy figuring out and building on paper a complete belt line for the street railway. They would extend the proposed Grandview line around the Boulevard west to Scioto Trail, thence south to Chillicothe and Seventeenth streets.

Mr. York said also that his company was getting ready to take up with the city the matter of crossing the new Lawson Run viaduct, which would be the means of connecting up its Third street, or upper Eighth street line, with the main line on Gallia street.

BRIDGEMEN ON STRIKE

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 26.—One thousand bridgemen employed in open shops in Pittsburgh and vicinity are on a strike. The men ask for an increase in wages. Leaders claim that within a week the strike will extend to every open shop in the United States.

Not In a Hurry.

A somewhat impecunious young fellow rashly engaged himself to a charming young thing, who shortly after the excitement had subsided began to evince doubts. Said she:

"How long, dearie, do you think we shall have to be engaged?"

"Well, sweetheart," said the young man cheerily, "I have enough money to last for six months, I think."

Cynical.

The Girl—You say that Miss Dadds and Jack Pott are going to be married. Why, I didn't know they knew each other. The Cynic—They don't. That's why they are going to be married.—Boston Transcript.

Dry Air and Electricity.

So perfect an insulator is dry air that it takes 10,000 volts of electricity to leap a gap of an inch.

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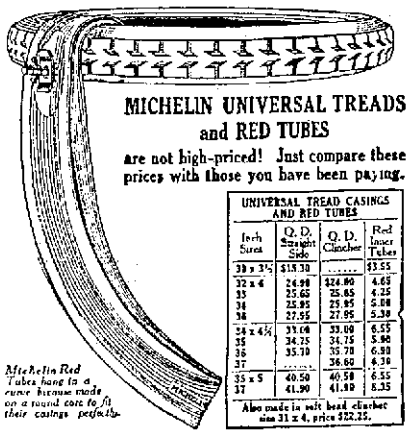

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Inch Size	Q.D. Straight Side	Q.D. Clincher	Red Inner Tubes
30 x 3½	$15.30	.....	$3.55
32 x 4	24.90	$24.80	4.65
33	25.65	25.65	4.25
34	25.95	25.95	5.00
36	27.55	27.95	5.30
36 x 4½	33.00	33.00	6.55
35	34.25	34.75	5.90
36	35.70	35.70	6.80
37	.....	36.60	6.30
35 x 5	40.50	40.50	6.55
37	41.90	41.80	8.35

Also made in salt head clincher size 31 x 4, price $22.25.

Michelin Red Tubes have to a curve because made on a round core to fit their casings perfectly.

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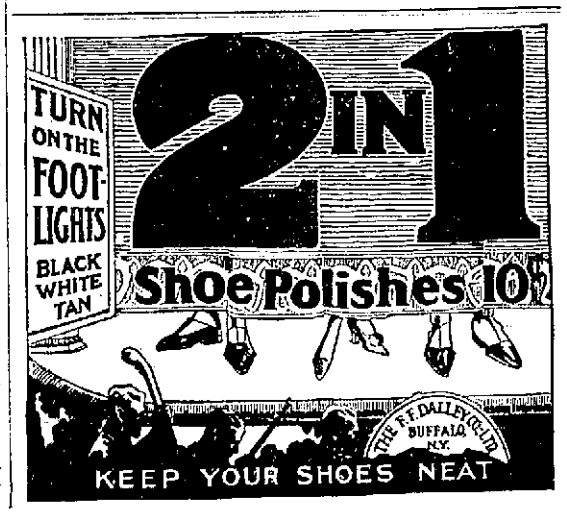

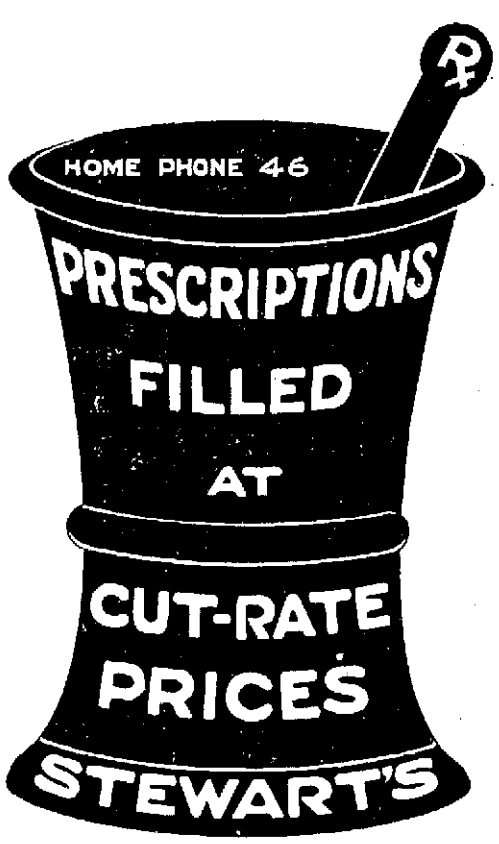

COLT PITCHER "BLOWS," GOOD BYE BALL GAME

Big Rally In Ninth Inning Wrests Victory From Colts; Five Hits Turned Trick

YELL, fans, it was all done in the fatal ninth inning yesterday at Millbrook when Portsmouth and Lexington wound up a series of four games. By pulling one of the most sensational rallies ever seen in the yard Portsmouth turned what looked like sure defeat into sweet victory. The final score was 3 to 2. For eight innings the Colts led the way with a 2 to 0 score and the way Lingrel, visiting hurlsman, was performing it looked like it was all over but the proverbial shouting, but as we calmly rose to remark last week, a game is not out until the last flame of hope has been snuffed out and never was it more forcibly shown than on Thursday when by pinching off the last Lexington game in a belated rally the Champs succeeding in breaking even with the Colts.

During the first eight innings the pitchers were extremely effective and the fans saw a genuine ball game, one that was played right up to the handle by aspiring and ambitious athletes, not pay day performers like we have seen even up in the big show. A tough break in the first inning almost proved disastrous to Ferguson, but the old boy never wavered and during the next seven innings he performed skillfully, in fact only three Colts reached first at the initial frame, McClelland on a hit in the sixth, Barrett on a pass in the seventh after two were down and McClelland on Demoe's error in the eighth after two Kentuckians had been extinguished. Some exhibition of hurling. Lingrel too was just as effective until the ninth. Up to this inning he had yielded four safe raps, one in the first, one in the second, one in the fifth and one in the eighth.

There were really only two innings to the game and they came at the extreme ends of the battle... Lexington scored its pair of tallies at the get away and Portsmouth clustered her trio of sweet scented runlets in the ninth.

Lexington got away to a flying start. Deveraux singled for a starter. Wright popped to Ferguson trying to put Deveraux down. Then it was that McClelland sent an ordinary liner right at Dilts, but the latter lost it in the smoke that hung over the park and the ball was not intercepted until it rattled the right field fence. But Portsmouth had dame fortune smile on her for a moment as Deveraux was caught trying to score from first. This put two out of the way and McClelland on third. But the Colts kept pegging away. Beers singled and McClelland scored, Moran singled and Beers raced to third, He and Moran worked a double steal when Dillhoefer lobbed low to Demoe and Biddy scored. That was the last Colt run. While kindly contributed the third out by hitting one to Dilts, who camped under it and squeezed the globule like a country boy does his sweetheart.

Then for eight innings no runs were made. But Portsmouth was not to be kept out of the run column. Oh gracious goodness, no.

In the ninth Bauer singled, Fisher doubled, McHenry singled, Bauer scoring, Fisher caught at plate. Dilly singled, in raced McHenry. Demoe singled and in came Dilly standing up. Goodnight, Colts.

And bugs, there was only one pin knocked down. Some drippingly sweet rally.

Ponder over the tell-tale dainty little figures:

PORTSMOUTH	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Dilts, rf, p	3	0	0	1	1	0
Bauer, 3b	3	1	1	2	5	0
Fisher, cf	4	0	2	1	1	0
McHenry, lf	4	1	2	3	1	0
Dillhoefer, c	4	1	1	3	0	0
Demoe, ss	4	0	1	1	4	1
Spencer, 1b	3	0	1	15	0	0
Bush, 2b	3	0	1	0	6	0
Ferguson, p	2	0	0	1	2	0
xJacobus, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	3	9	27	20	1

LEXINGTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Deveraux, 1b	4	0	1	10	0	1
Wright, cf	4	0	0	3	0	0
McClelland, ss	4	1	3	1	1	1
Beers, c	3	1	1	5	3	0
Thomas, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
White, 3b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Guyn, lf	4	0	0	2	1	0
Barrett, 2b	2	0	0	1	3	0
Lingrel, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	2	6	x25	10	2

xOne out winning run scored.
xJacobus batted for Ferguson in 8th.

Lexington	2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2
Portsmouth	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3—3

Hits Apportioned—Ferguson, 6 in 8 innings.
Two Base Hits—McHenry, Fisher.
Three Base Hits—McClelland 2.
Sacrifice Hits—Dillhoefer.
Stolen Bases—Beers, Moran, McClelland 3.
Base on Balls—Ferguson 3; Lingrel 2.
Hit by Pitcher—Dilts.
Struck Out—Ferguson 0; Lingrel 6; Dilts 1.
Double Plays—White, Barrett, Deveraux; McClelland and Deveraux.
Wild Pitch—Ferguson.
Umpire—Crone.

Reds Beat Cubs

Hurrah for the Reds, they won another. They beat the Chicago Cubs yesterday 8 to 4 on Redland field.

The score:

CHICAGO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Schulte, lf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Mann, rf	4	2	1	2	0	0
Williams, cf	5	0	1	3	0	0
Zimmerman, 3b	5	1	0	0	2	0
Saier, 1b	3	1	1	14	0	0
McCarthy, 2b	3	0	3	2	2	1
Fischer, c	3	0	0	1	3	1
Mulligan, ss	4	0	0	0	7	0
Brown, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xHendrix	1	0	0	0	0	0
McConnell, p	3	0	3	2	2	1
Totals	36	4	9	24	16	3

xHendrix batted for Brown.

CINCINNATI	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Groh, 3b	3	2	2	2	0	0
Neale, cf	5	1	1	1	0	0
Chase, 1f	4	1	1	1	0	0
Wingo, c	3	0	0	4	2	0
Griffith, rf	2	1	0	2	0	0
Mollwitz, 1b	2	2	1	12	1	0
Herzog, ss	4	0	1	1	2	0
Louden, 2b	3	1	1	3	6	1
Mitchell, p	4	0	2	0	2	0
Totals	30	8	9	27	13	1

Cincinnati	4 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 x—8 9 2
Chicago	0 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 1—4 9 3

J. E. BRADFORD IS FRIEND OF OLD KENTUCKY

Well-Known Portsmouth Shoe-Maker Endorses Famous Tobacco

It takes a wonderfully good tobacco to stand the test for fifty years. That's what Old Kentucky has done, and its sweet, rich, distinctive flavor is just as popular to-day as it ever was. Read what J. E. Bradford, well known Portsmouth, O., shoemaker, says about it:

"I have used OLD KENTUCKY for thirty-four years. I learned to chew OLD KENTUCKY when I was fourteen years of age, and it is still the best tobacco that I can find. I use three plugs a week."

Old Kentucky is a high quality tobacco. No better leaf grows than the choice, sun-ripened, mellow old Burley of which it is made. No chewing tobacco can be so completely delicious and satisfying.

Old Kentucky will give you a new idea of how pure and delightful a chew of tobacco can be. Get a 10c plug from your dealer today and begin to enjoy it.

OHIO STATE LEAGUE

STANDING OF CLUBS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Portsmouth	12	4	.750
Charleston	8	7	.533
Lexington	8	8	.500
Huntington	7	8	.466
Frankfort	6	9	.400
Maysville	5	10	.333

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Charleston 11, Frankfort 8, first game.
Charleston 13, Frankfort 7, 2nd game.
Maysville 5, Huntington 4, 1st game.
Maysville 9, Huntington 3, 2nd game.
Portsmouth 3, Lexington 2.

GAMES TODAY

Portsmouth at Charleston.
Huntington at Frankfort.
Maysville at Lexington.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

STANDING OF CLUBS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Brooklyn	17	10	.630
Philadelphia	18	12	.600
New York	15	13	.536
Boston	15	13	.536
Chicago	16	19	.457
Cincinnati	16	20	.444
St. Louis	16	19	.394
Pittsburgh	13	20	.394

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Cincinnati 8, Chicago 4.
Pittsburgh 5, Brooklyn 0.
(No others scheduled)

GAMES TODAY

New York at Boston.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Cincinnati.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

STANDING OF CLUBS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cleveland	22	12	.647
Washington	21	12	.636
New York	16	13	.552
Boston	17	15	.531
Chicago	14	19	.424
Philadelphia	13	18	.419
Detroit	13	20	.394
St. Louis	12	19	.367

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Boston 5, Detroit 2.
Philadelphia 1, Cleveland 3, called in the fourth; rain and darkness.
New York 7, St. Louis 5.
Chicago 3, Washington 3, called in fourteenth, darkness.

GAMES TODAY

Philadelphia at Washington.
Boston at New York.
(No others scheduled.)

TERMS SHIFT AROUND

There is a general shift in all Ohio State league clubs today.

Portsmouth opens a four game series in Charleston, Maysville begins a similar series in Lexington and Huntington drops down to Frankfort for a quartet of games.

He Pitched Great Ball

Too bad Ferguson does not get credit for winning yesterday's game. He pitched a masterly article of ball against the Colts, who went out in order six out the nine innings. Ferguson was cool all the way and stinted every batter that faced him.

Big Series In Boston

The fur will fly in Boston today as the Giants open a series there after winning 13 straight on the road. If the McGraw men beat the Braves they will have a good chance to wrest the National league leadership from Brooklyn.

Record Of Home Stay

On their home stay just completed Thursday Portsmouth won 5 games and lost 3. One game was loosed away to Charleston and Lexington grabbed off two games Wednesday. Portsmouth has won 12 out of first 16, which any club will frankly admit is a pennant winning percentage.

Portsmouth has not lost a single series to any club so far this season.

Found Colts Pretty Soft

In the series just closed with Lexington Portsmouth scored 10 runs and Lexington 6. Lingrel was twice beaten and Jacobus and King lost a game to the Kentuckians. Portsmouth has played eight games with the Colts and six have been victories.

Crone's Work Satisfactory

Umpire Crone is improving every day as an umpire. He won of the plays correctly yesterday and kept the players in line. There is one bad thing in his favor, he seems determined to stick. Hence as he gets them and consequently he.

McHenry cut in with his usual pair of hits. He has a bad finger.

JUST GOSSIP

Manager Spencer will use Reeb or King against Charleston while the Champs will face Carpenter or Coffindaffer.

The Champs left on the late train last night for Charleston. Lexington returned home by way of Maysville.

Watch us, we are going to be up there all season." Biddy Beers said last night in discussing the Colt team. He says he will make a small wager that Lexington beats out Charleston.

The explosion in the ninth came most unexpected and was therefore enjoyed all the more.

The Colts had already put the game in their winning column. "Two or three more and we will be up there with the boys," yelled a couple of players in the eighth. They sang a different tune in the ninth.

The work of Demoe, Bush and Bauer yesterday on the local infield was simply wonderful. This is certainly a trio of classy infielders.

Bauer broke his hitting slump when he opened the ninth with a single.

Demoe was robbed of two hits by catches by Wright, who camped right in back of second for him.

Manager Spencer had another good day at first and Dillhoefer caught bang up ball behind the plate.

Barrett played a splendid fielding game for the Colts while here, but his hitting was none too heavy.

The Charleston Senators can so ahead of Portsmouth if they win four in a row from the Champs.

Fisher continues to meet the ball and his fielding is super excellent. Lots like this boy is a find. He sprained his ankle yesterday and may have to sit on the bench a day or two.

Game Played In Record Time

Just 78 minutes were consumed in playing yesterday's contest despite the fact that five runs were made, the nine full innings being clipped off in exactly 1 hour and 18 minutes. Up to the fatal ninth for the visitors only 1 hour and 8 minutes were consumed, it requiring 10 minutes for the Colts to lose their game in the final frame. It was a gratify finish to a rapidly played game. A few more like it will not hurt.

Saylor Lasts One Round

Cincinnati, May 26.—Charlie White, of Chicago, knocked out Milburn Saylor of Indianapolis in the first round of their scheduled ten round bout here last night. Saylor did not land a blow on White.

White knocked Saylor to the floor for the count of four before a minute of the first round had passed. Saylor came up dizzy and White landed the knockout blow. The men weighed 130 pounds at one o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Lingrel Was All In

Fans sat in wonderment yesterday when Lingrel's offerings were being viciously mauled in the ninth why Howard Guyn, Colt manager, didn't yank Lingrel, who blew sky high. Thomas was warmed up, but he never received the cue to hurry to Lingrel's rescue and the latter was permitted to be slaughted until the game was over.

Are Winning On The Road

Have you noticed how Ohio State league teams have been winning on the road this season.?

Portsmouth on its last trip won four straight from Lexington. Charleston has just won five in a row and Lexington won six out of eight, four in Maysville and two here.

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A SMART LION STYLE WITH THE OVAL BUTTONHOLE
Lion Collars
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For Sale by
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Portsmouth, Ohio.

HOW IT WAS DONE

Bauer beat out hit to short.

Fisher tickled right field boards for pair of sacks, Bauer skipping to third.

McHenry lined single to left, Bauer scoring.

Fisher was nailed at plate trying to follow Bauer by Guyn's long and accurate peg.

Dillhoefer singled to short, McHenry scoring. Dillhoefer took second when McClelland made poor throw at home to catch McHenry after knocking down Dillhoefer's sizzler.

With the count one and one Demoe smashed one over short and Dillhoefer easily scored from second, Guyn not making a play at the plate.

Demoe put his spikes in first sack, like Mr. Merkle failed to do and game was over.

There was only one man in the dog house.

Charleston Wins Two

The Charleston Senators boosted their percentage Thursday when they won a double header from the Frankfort team, the scores being 11 to 8 and 13 to 7. Henderson and McCluskey pitched the winners for Charleston and Smith and Bacon the losers for the Kentuckians. They were old fashioned slugging matches.

Sober and competent workmen with Brehmer, the Painter. 1-tf

LEGAL NOTICE

John S. Morgan, whose last known place of residence was Maloneton, Kentucky, will hereby take notice that Allee Morgan filed her petition for divorce against him in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, on the Twelfth (12th) day of May, 1916, as Cause No. 14117; that divorce is prayed for on the grounds of wilful absence.

Said cause will be for hearing on or after the third (3d) day of July, 1916.

12-6 Fri.

BRING PRESCRIPTIONS HERE

Let us fill the prescription the doctor gives you. We can wholly be relied upon to put them up correctly. We are certain of what we do when we fill prescriptions. We read the doctor's orders carefully and use only ingredients he tells us to. We are extremely careful not to make the slightest mistake. This is the most important.

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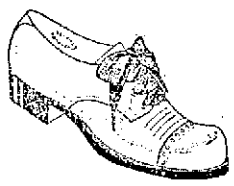

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NOTICE
To All Gas Consumers

When using a gas range, if the flame blackens the utensil, it is because the burners need cleaning and adjusting. If the flame in the heating stove is yellow, it is due to the same cause.

If you are having any of these troubles, notify us, and we will have a man call and adjust your stove.

The Portsmouth Gas Co.

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Have Arrived — An expert tailor at your service
McGARRY, THE TAILOR — 821 GALLIA

NESS AND FOURNIER TO ALTERNATE AT FIRST FOR WHITE SOX

JACK NESS. ©I.F.S.

Clarence Rowland, manager of the Chicago White Sox plans to alternate Fournier and Ness at first base this season, according to the pitchers opposing the Sox. Fournier will be used against the right handed pitchers and Ness against the southpaws. The transfer of Ness to the minors brought forth much comment and Rowland was glad of the chance to get him back.

Ness, it will be remembered, established the world's record for the largest number of consecutive hits, while with the Pacific Coast League last year.

How Heavers Are Faring

Here are the pitching records of the local mound artists:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Dilts	1	0	1.000
King	4	0	1.000
Ferguson	4	1	.800
Jacobus	2	2	.500
Reeb	1	1	.500

Get busy, men! Don't let the fact that you are temporarily out of a job make your whole future look black. Read TIMES WANT ADS.

LEGAL NOTICE—BOND SALE

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the auditor of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, until 12:00 o'clock, noon,

TUESDAY, JUNE 6, 1916,

for the purchase of Thirty Thousand Dollars ($30,000.00) "Fire Department, Building and Equipment Bonds," dated May 1, 1916 and maturing as follows:

12 bonds	$5,000.00	May 1,	1926
12 bonds	5,000.00	May 1,	1927
12 bonds	6,000.00	May 1,	1928
12 bonds	6,000.00	May 1,	1929
12 bonds	6,000.00	May 1,	1930

Said bonds are coupon bonds, 60 in number and numbered consecutively from 1 to 60 both inclusive, and of the denomination of $500.00 each, bearing interest at the rate of 4 1-2 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of November and May in each year at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, and are issued under authority of Ordinance Number 2246 passed by the Council of said City on March 15, 1916.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check on some solvent bank payable to the order of Louis A. Zucker, City Auditor, in an amount equal to 2 per cent of the par value of the bonds bid for. All bids must be unconditional and no bid in an amount less than par value of the bonds bid for and accrued interest to date of delivery will be considered.

Proposals shall be sealed and endorsed "Bids for the City of Portsmouth Bonds" and addressed to the City Auditor, Portsmouth, Ohio.

The right is reserved by the city to reject any and all bids.

By order of Council,

LOUIS A. ZUCKER,
City Auditor

The leaves are mild and fragrant,
And as pretty as the flowers in May.
This is the kind of tobacco,
That goes into an R. & J.

R. and J. Big Havana At Every Stand — The Rieker-Johnson Co. Phone 1444-X

Dilts Gets Credit For Winning Thursday's Game

Stewart Dilts by a strange twist of fate lost the ball game and then won it, that is he gets credit for winning the game.

In the first inning after he apparently had settled under McClelland's wicked liner he permitted it to sail over his head and when he recovered the ball McClelland was resting on third. There was one man down at the time and had Dilts caught the sphere, no scoring would have been indulged in by the visitors in the opening frame.

Dilts was sent to the mound in the ninth when Jacobus batted for Ferguson in the eighth and inasmuch as the winning run was made with Dilts in the box he gets credit for winning the game. He got Moran on a bounder to Bauer in the ninth, whiffed the demon White and Guyn thumbed a Texas leaguer just over the infield that was gobbled up.

Good Bye Huntington

Maysville copped both games of a double header from Huntington yesterday, 9 to 3 and 5 to 4.

First Game.

Maysville	0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0—5
Huntington	1 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—4

Two base hits—Wickham, Odom; Three base hits—Maynard, Batteries—Surrency and Mueller; Bond, Maynard and McDaniels.

Second Game.

Maysville	0 2 1 0 5 1 0 0 0—9
Huntington	1 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0—3

Two base hits—Kaiser, Kelly, Brown, McDaniels. Three base hits—French. Batteries—McGraynor and Mueller; O'Connor, Gaffin and McDaniels.

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The Blue Ridge and Alleghanie Mountains, Natural Bridge, Grottoes, Mountain Lake, Craig Healing Springs, Ocean View, Cape Henry and the Virginia Beach.
SEND FOR BOOKLET
Summer Tourist Tickets on sale May 20th to Sept. 30th. Final limit Oct. 31st, 1916.
City Ticket Office, Sixth St., Opposite Post Office.
R. E. SCOTT
Passenger Agent

New Schedule Effective May 28th

Chesapeake and Ohio Railway

West Bound

No. 5 Limited to Chicago .....4:55 a. m.
No. 17 Local to Cincinnati .....7:37 a. m.
No. 1 Limited to Cincinnati.....8:09 a. m.
No. 3 Limited to Cincinnati .....2:10 p. m.
No. 7 Local to Cincinnati .....2:40 p. m.

East Bound

No. 6 Limited to New York .....11:07 a. m.
No. 8 Local to Hinton 11:34 a. m.
No. 2 Limited to New York .....2:52 p. m.
No. 16 Local to Huntington.....7:25 p. m.
No. 4 Limited to Washington .....12:04 night.
Nos. 5, 1, 3, 7, 6, 8, 2 and 4 daily.
Nos. 17 and 16 except Sunday.
No. 8 daily to Huntington and daily except Sunday to Hinton.

Call phone 18 City Ticket Office Second and Chillicothe Sts. for further information.

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RAYMER AND JENKINS ARRESTED BY POLICE

George Raymer and Melvin Jenkins, who the police say are notorious petty thieves, are again in the toils.,

Officer Pete Price arrested the pair near their usual haunt in the North End. Their latest offense is for stealing some lumber from Contractor John Shonkwiler. The lumber was piled up in Kinney Lane. Petit larceny charges were preferred against the two. Jenkins is under a suspended work house sentence. He had been arrested some weeks ago along with James Craig, for stealing some water pipe from the city but agreed to leave the city and stay away. Within less than a week's time he and Craig were back in the city. The latter is now in the Cincinnati work house.

Raymer admitted in police court Friday, to having stolen the lumber, which Mr. Shonkwiler said he found him cutting up for use in making a bottom for a push cart. Mayor Kaps fined him $50 and costs and sentenced him to 60 days in the work house, but suspended the fine and sentence on condition that he leave the city and stay away. "Go to Sciotoville. I don't wish Sciotoville any bad luck, but we don't want you here at least not for the next two or three years," said the mayor. Raymer declared his intention of going to the home of an aunt in Kentucky.

Jenkins explained his presence in the city by saying he had come to visit a dying sister, Mrs. Nora Tayburn, of Earlytown. He was told to see her again and if there was no change in her condition to return to Dutch Hollow, where he claimed to have employment.

Two More Entrants In Corn Growing Contest

G. H. Disterdick, secretary and treasurer of the Haverhill Telephone company and his son, Floyd Disterdick, of near Hanging Rock, are the latest entrants in The Times corn growing contest.

The acre of corn which G. H. Disterdick is entering is on the Disterdick farm, Green township near Pine Creek.

Floyd Disterdick's acre is located east of the orchard on the Disterdick farm, Green township.

Rev. Louis S. Brook To Preach Here Sunday

Rev. Louis S. Brook, of Howell, Mich., will occupy the pulipt of the First Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening. He preached in this church several weeks ago and is interested in this congregation. No doubt two uarge audiences will greet him Sunday. Rev. Brook will also teach the Men's Bible class Sunday morning.

Will Organize Carnival

Those of the National Exposition Company's troupe which left the company here recently, and went to Huntington, have returned and are again quartered at the Norton Hotel. They are enroute to Oak Hill, where they expect to organize a carnival company of their own under the name of Moore's Greater Empire Shows.

Eagles Name Delegates To The State Convention

The Local Aerie of Eagles at their weekly meeting Thursday night named delegates and alternates to the State Convention of Eagles to be held in Newark, O., June 19-22. The delegates are Harry Grice, Gus Hoemer and Henry Roth. The alternates are Walter B. Schuyler, Walter E. Miller and Wallace Hale. William O. Stiger was named as the delegate to the Grand Aerie Convention of the Eagles, which will be held in Savannah, Ga., in July.

One candidate, Eddie Meehan, was initiated at last night's meeting.

FIX PICNIC DATE

Wednesday, June 7th, is the date that has been set for the big picnic that is to be held by the High School students. By June 7th the students will complete their studies for this term. School will be dismissed at the noon hour and all will adjourn to Millbrook park, where a basket dinner will be enjoyed. A baseball game between the Juniors and Seniors and a track and field meet between the classes will take up the entire afternoon.

SUCCESS OF A NEW REMEDY FOR BACKACHE, KIDNEYS, RHEUMATISM.

Dear Mr. Editor—I suffered for years with backache. Last March I tried "Anuric" and have used this new kidney medicine recently discovered by Dr. Pierce, and it was wonderful the way it eased the pain and gave me relief in such a short time. I have tried several medicines, but "Anuric" is the only one that gave satisfaction. I feel it my duty to recommend "Anuric Tablets" to any one who suffers as I did.

(Signed) MRS. MARGARET E. SNIDER, Box 115, Potsdam, Ohio.

NOTE: Folks in town and adjoining counties are delighted with the results they have obtained by using "*ANURIC*," the newest discovery of Dr. Pierce, who is head of the INVALIDS' HOTEL and SURGICAL INSTITUTE, in Buffalo, N. Y. Those who started the day with a backache, stiff legs, arms and muscles, and an aching head (worn out before the day began because they were in and out of bed half a dozen times at night) are appreciating the perfect rest, comfort and new strength they obtained from Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets. To prove that this is a certain uric acid solvent and conquers headache, kidney and bladder diseases and rheumatism. If you've never used the "Anuric," cut this out and send ten cents to Doctor Pierce for a large sample package. This will prove to you that "Anuric" is thirty-seven times more active than lithia in eliminating uric acid—and the most perfect kidney and bladder corrector. If you are a sufferer, go to your best druggist and ask for a 50-cent box of "Anuric." You run no risk for Dr. Pierce's good name stands behind this wonderful new discovery as it has for the past half century for his "Golden Medical Discovery" which makes the blood pure, his "Favorite Prescription" for weak women and "Pleasant Pellets" for liver ills.

NEW U. S. BATTLESHIP IS READY

Newport News, Va., May 26.—The new dreadnought Pennsylvania is to be turned over to the government within the next two weeks. During her speed trials recently she exceeded all requirements. The Pennsylvania will become the flagship of the Atlantic fleet, when commissioned.

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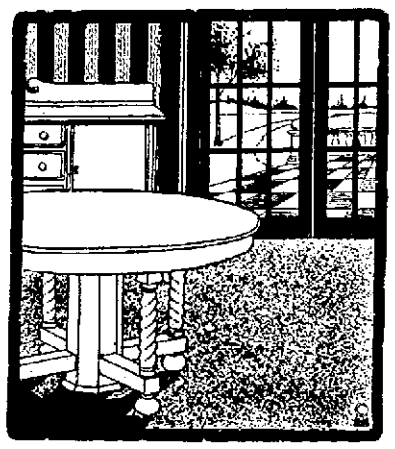

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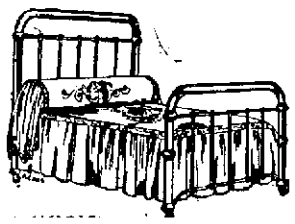
The very reason is that first of all we sell for cash, although we have a few accounts that we charge for 30 or 60 days. When you go to another store and buy your furniture, make a payment and the deal is closed, you are presented with a mortgage by the salesman which you are asked to sign. You sign this mortgage and the same is filed with the county recorder. In other words you have not bought the furniture but just leased it. If you sell so much as a kitchen chair you are committing an offense. The party that sells you has bookkeepers, collectors, legal fees and naturally you are compelled to pay a whole lot more for your furniture, for expenses have to be met. Why not buy just a few pieces and pay for same, or we will be pleased to give you 30 or 60 days time. You are not asked to sign a mortgage or give us a claim on what you get---and you will be asked here about one-half what you are quoted at installment houses.

Iron and Brass Beds



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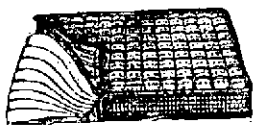


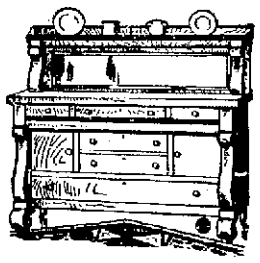
We are going to offer you something real good in Mattresses for the next week. Whether you want cotton, top, combination, Davenport or Felt Mattresses, we are able to please you, not only in price but in quality. For the next few days we will offer you a 45 pound cotton felt mattress, full roll edge, fancy ticking for **$5.75**

Elegant Davenports

You will no doubt have to buy a davenport or Davenette during the next month. We are showing a large line in any style, different finishes and all qualities of leather. We have a davenport and a Davenette made from genuine oak, finished in either golden or fumed, covered with best Boston leather that we will sell for next few days for **$23.50**

You will be asked from $35 to $45 for this piece of furniture elsewhere.

BUFFETS



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42 Piece Dinner Set in white and gold **$2.92**

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SEEL BUILDING, SECOND STREET

Fund Reaches $147.76

The total contribution to the G. A. R. piano fund to date is $147.76.

No more collections will be taken until next Wednesday, when a supreme effort will be made to raise the balance necessary to pay for a piano. All school pupils are urged to save their pennies and larger contributions until next Wednesday when it will be turned over to the teachers and principals.

SUNNYBROOK

Among those who spent Saturday with Mrs. D. A. Evans were Mrs. John Piatt and two grandchildren, Evelyn and Earnie Piatt, of Rock Run; Mrs. Charles Piatt and two children, Leonore and Johnnie, of Rock Valley, and Miss Flossie Charles, of Gassy Run.

Mrs Fred Smith and three children were the Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Evans.

Mrs. Sallie Moore, of Plum Fork, spent Sunday morning with her friend, Mrs. Gertie Kennedy, of Rock Valley.

Fred Smith of Evanstown, was the Sunday evening guest of D. A. Evans and family.

Samuel Charles, of Gassy Run, was the Sunday guest of his friend, John Kennedy, and family, of Rock Valley.

Those who took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. L. Moore, of Plum Fork, were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Blevens and family, of Rock Run, Mr. and Mrs. John Evans, of Cedar Grove, and Miss Ella Cooper, of Beech Fork.

Willie Cooper, of McGaw, was the Sunday guest of his cousin, Arthur Evans, of Locust Grove..

Miss Pearl Evans and brother Arthur, were calling near McGaw Monday, to see their grandmother, Mrs. Rebecca Cooper, who has been ill for some time. She is reported no better.

Mrs. D. A. Evans, who has been ill for a few weeks, is better.

Mrs. Samuel Unger and children spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Sallie Moore, of Plum Fork.

"My folks don't care how many Edgemonts I eat"

"My dad says I wouldn't be a chip off the old block if I didn't know what was good to eat.

"My mama says Edgemonts are good and clean and fresh, and that they help to make boys strong and healthy.

"Mister Jones the grocery man says they're his best sellers, because the Green and Green bakery ships them to him right out of the oven in a box that keeps them fresh and nice.

"But the reason I like them is because they're *good*. They taste like regular crackers ought to taste. I eat them at meals an' between meals!

"Funny, but just as soon as I think I've got as many as I want, I want more.

"When I grow up I'm going to run a cracker bakery and a cracker store and give all the boys and girls in town all the Edgemonts they can hold."

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Miss Dolly Wise

She is born to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, O. Office Phone 60.

Dear Miss Wise—What is the best way for a man to ask a girl's permission to bring up a friend and introduce him to her? JACK.

The man may say, "Miss Brown, may I present my friend, Mr. Smith? He is very anxious to know you."

Dear Miss Wise—When one has a special day for receiving callers what should she do if she falls ill on that day and is unable to see them and hasn't time to send out notices? PERPLEXED.

She may have a relative or intimate friend receive the guests and explain the reason for her absence; or, if this is not convenient, her servant can inform all callers that on account of illness her mistress begs to be excused.

Dear Miss Wise—Will you kindly give me a recipe for tomato wine? Mrs. W. S.

One bushel of ripe tomatoes, cut up and smashed; add enough water to make 10 gallons. Add 3 pounds of currants or a few grapes. Put in a wooden vessel, cover it up and let remain standing for 2 days; stir occasionally. Press out juice.

Take 15 pounds of sugar, dissolve in water, add this syrup to your tomato juice and let ferment. Use bag of sand to cover opening, so as not to let too much air in.

After main fermentation is over, drain into another clean barrel and perpare as you would any other wine.

Dear Miss Wise—Will you please tell me what is good for mosquito bites? HAROLD.

Apply ammonia, or baking soda wet with vinegar.

Dear Miss Wise—Please give me a recipe for chocolate fudge frosting. COOK.

Two cups sugar, two-thirds cup milk, two squares melted chocolate, two teaspoons butter. Beat until creamy, spread between layers and on top.

Dear Miss Wise—Has a husband any right to open mail received by his wife, if she objects? IDA.

No. There are certain little personal matters which should not be interfered with by either husband or wife and this is one that should be kept inviolate by both.

Dear Miss Wise—Please tell me how to put my furs away for the summer. I cannot afford to have them put in cold storage. A. P.

Make a large bag by sewing several thicknesses of newspaper together on the machine. Clean your furs well and fold in a little gum camphor. Put in the bag and sew across the end on machine. Another way is to get a large lard can and put the furs in it. Put in cool place. Many people put their furs in muslin bags. They enclose small bags of red cedar sawdust.

Dear Miss Wise—Will you please print a recipe for orange-ade? W. T. K.

Make a syrup by boiling one cup of sugar and one pint of water together for twelve minutes. Add one cup of orange juice and pour over crushed ice.

TIMES SERVICE PATTERN 1633

A PRETTY NEGLIGEE

1633. Ladies' Kimono Sack (in either of three styles.)

This practical model may be made with the fronts in pointed outline, or tied in fichu style, or as is also illustrated, in surplice effect. The model is nice for silk, crepe, challie, cashmere, dimity, lawn or batiste, flannel and flannelette.

The pattern is cut in 3 sizes: Small, Medium and Large. It requires 2¼ yards of 44-inch material for a Medium size.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

CAUTION—Order adult pattern by number of pattern, giving bust measure for waist patterns, and waist measure for skirt patterns. For Misses and Children give number of pattern and age only.

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This pattern will be sent on receipt of 10 cents. Make number, name, address, etc., plain. Send to Pattern Department, Portsmouth Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

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It is no longer necessary to dose with nauseous drugs to relieve croup and colds. Columbus people proved this some winters ago when Vick's Vap-O-Rub Salve was first introduced from the South. The Columbus druggists presented complementary jars to a few of their customers and requested that they report the results. Below are some of these reports.

Mrs. F. H. Hinds, 901 Bellows Ave.—"We have used your Vick's Vap-O-Rub on our baby, and we can recommend it to anyone, as it saved our child from a bad case of pneumonia."

Mrs. M. E. Koch, 848 Scott St.—"We have a baby five months old that had pneumonia in its worst stage. We had a very good doctor, but it was a very stubborn case, so we tried Vick's Vap-O-Rub, prescribed us by our druggist, John F. Marr, and saw quite a change in a short while. Now we keep it in the house all the time and I feel that I can not speak too highly of your remedy."

Mrs. John Stickel, 926 S. Third St.—"Will say in regard to Vick's Vap-O-Rub Salve that I have never seen its equal. We have given it a thorough trial for colds, sore throat, headache and burns, and it proves to do just what you claim. Our little girls now run for the box of Vick's for everything, and say 'Mamma, will this salve help this burn, or cut, or whatever it happens to be?'"

Vick's Vap-O-Rub is really a vapor lamp in salve form. When applied over the throat and chest the body heat vaporizes the ingredients, and at the same time Vick's is absorbed through and stimulates the skin. You will find this preparation superior to internal medicines for all forms of cold troubles, from head colds, asthma or catarrh, down to deep chest colds, sore throat, bronchitis, grippe, or incipient pneumonia.

Vick's Vap-O-Rub comes in three sizes, 25c, 50c or $1.00, at all druggists.

The Genuine has VAPORUB on the label. Also Trade Mark.

SOCIETY

Miss Sue Sprouse was given a delightful surprise last evening at her home on Twelfth street, in celebration of her twenty-second birthday anniversary. The party was arranged by her sister, Miss Ellen Sprouse, who took her sister to the picture show and on their return home Miss Sue found the rooms filled with her friends. The evening's pleasures included games and music, after which refreshments were served. The rooms were beautifully decorated with pink and white roses, and the pink and white refreshments were served at a prettily adorned table. The birthday cake held pink candles in the required number. Miss Sprouse was the recipient of many beautiful gifts in memory of the occasion. The souvenirs were small Kewpies. The guests were Misses Alma Smith, Selma Gims, Rose Emnett, Louise Emnett, Blanche Partlow, Olive Wells, Sue Sprouse, Messrs. Lee Turner, Oscar Emnett, Theo. Daum, Roy Thornton, Willard Thompson, Stanley Malcolm, Russell Egbert, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Daum and daughter, Lucy.

A large and very appreciative audience was present at the First Baptist church Thursday evening, when a splendid program was rendered under the auspices of the Fourth Division of the Ladies' Aid Society. The rostrum was beautifully decorated with palms, ferns, roses and peonies. A silver offering was taken, which netted a neat sum that will be put into the church's building fund. Every number on the program was greatly appreciated. Following is the program rendered:

"The Gloria," by the choir.

Invocation by the pastor.

Anthem by choir, "Thus Saith the Lord."

Reading, "The Turning Point," Miss Hazel Eckhart.

Violin Solo, Miss Ladora White.

Vocal solo, "Lee's Trinity—De Koven—J. Adam Burkel.

Reading, "Kate Shelley"—Miss Grace McClure.

Piano Duett—Miss Mayme Miller, Mrs. Ed Shuler.

Solo, "Holy City" Korleen B. Wartenbe.

Silver Offering.

Reading, "The Convict's Warning"—Miss Nellie Daughty.

Piano Solo, (a) A Salute a Pesth" Kowalski; (b) "Annie Laurie," Transcription; (c) "Brillante," by A. G. Rubbyn—Miss Sarah Magetet.

Reading, "That Old Sweetheart of Mine"—Miss Gussie Holmes. Piano accompaniment, Miss Mayme Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank V. Knauss, Eighth street, who have been spending a few weeks with their son, Dr. Harry Knauss, New York, are expected to return home Saturday. While there Mr. Knauss, who is president of the local Board of Trade, attended the annual meeting of the National Association of Manufacturers.

Mrs. Lon Easterday and son, Mr. John Easterday, arrived last evening to visit at the homes of Mrs. Eliza Watkins, on Fifth street, and Mrs. Thomas, on Logan street, before going to their new home in Detroit, Mich., where Mr. John Easterday has accepted a position with the Park Davis Drug Company.

The regular monthly meeting of the All Saints' Woman's Auxiliary was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. L. Watkins, there being fifteen members present. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. W. C. Ferguson, the regular president. Miss Mary Reed gave the scripture reading, Mrs. Hattie Russell read the report of the last meeting, Mrs. Ferguson and Miss Margaret Firmstone read their reports of the convention recently held in Springfield. Mrs. Jennie Williams, Mrs. J. L. Watkins and Mrs. John Brushart were the committee appointed to arrange for the outing at Miss Hettie Bryan's farm, on the West Side, on the last Thursday of next month.

William E. Clayton and sister, Mrs. E. L. Feyler, and Mr. and Mrs. Kay, Chillicothe, will leave Saturday in the Kay automobile for Nashville, Tenn., where they will attend the annual commencement exercises at the Vanderbilt University. They are going to see Howard Feyler and James Kay graduated from the dental college.

Howard Feyler, who has completed his course at the University with honor, is an old Times carrier boy. Not only has he attained a high grade in his studies at the University, but he has been very active in college affairs. He is a member of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity.

The party expect to arrive at Nashville Monday evening and after the exercises they will return by the way of Mammoth Caves, Ky., and Indianapolis, Ind.

The Trinity Methodist Ladies' Aid Society held a large and most enjoyable meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. B. Anderson, where there were sixty present. The assisting hostesses were Mesdames M. H. Shumway, T. H. Jones, W. K. Dupre, Harry Mathiott, Dennison, Charles Tracy, Elizabeth Amberg, Garrett, Marsh, Turner. The program was presented by Mrs. Lloyd Strecker, vocalist, Miss Alice Blake, violinist, Mrs. W. E. Gault, reading, Miss Ruth Andrews, of Hamilton, vocalist, and Miss Mildred Brown, reader. At the end of the afternoon's pleasures delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice J. Caldwell will motor to Richmondale Sunday, where they will spend the day with Mrs. Jane Grubbs, an aunt of Mr. Caldwell, who owns a large stock farm there.

Mrs. Grubbs, although ninety years of age, manages her estate, which consists of 2500 acres. She has built up a reputation for blooded stock and fine crops.

A delightful meeting of the Priscillas was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Win Nye, on Second street. Besides the club members there were present Mrs. Harry Gardner (Virginia Jones) of Chicago, guest of Mrs. W. H. Schwartz, and Mrs. Hulitt, of Detroit, guest of Mrs. C. M. Searl. Excellent refreshments were served at the end of the enjoyable afternoon. The next meeting will be held next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harley Marconnet.

The Jewish Kaffee Klatch was delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Pauline Kaufman. At cards Mrs. Joseph Brown won the favor, a pair of silk hose. The dainty repast was served at the card tables. This was the last of this season's meetings.

Mrs. Earl Lawson was hostess at this afternoon's meeting of the Country Club at her home on Second street. Art needlework was followed by a dainty repast.

Miss Marjorie Noel was hostess at yesterday afternoon's meeting of the Merry Twelve Club. Several members were unable to be present. Plans were made for an outing to be held in the near future on the Nagleisen farm, above Wheelersburg. Dainty refreshments were served. Mrs. Rena Walker will be hostess at the next meeting at her home on Sixth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Herzstam, of Dayton, are rejoicing over the arrival of a son at their home on May 21st. The little one has been named Joseph, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Herzstam resided for awhile in Portsmouth.

Mrs. Hylie Hyden, wife of a C. & O. engineer of Russell, Ky., is here visiting her sisters, Mrs. Clyde Barber, of Fifth street, and Mrs. Charles Youngman, of Eleventh street.

Tub Skirts $1.00 to $3.00

Well tailored and modeled in the latest Sport styles, White and stripes.

The Style Shop

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Take advantage of the May Disposal Sale. Buy your Decoration Day ready to wear garments here Saturday

New Fern Waists $1.00

Beautiful Organdie and Voile Waists of $1.50 value. The only store in Portsmouth selling this popular $1 waist.

Values In Coats And Suits That Are Unmatchable

Coats that sold regularly to $7.50 for the May Disposal Sale **$3.98**

Coats that were formerly priced to $12.50 in this sale at **$5.95**

Coats that were priced at $17.50 and $15.00 all go at **$9.75**

We have grouped over 50 Suits into two lots and priced them for Saturday at

$9.75 AND **$14.75**

Suits of Cloth in Serge, Poplin, Gabardine and Shepherd Checks. Values up to $25.

Suits of Taffeta Silk, Silk Poplin, Chuddah and fine Wool Fabrics, Black, Navy and colors Values up to $35.00

Women's Crepe Gowns

79c Regular $1.00 Crepe Gowns, made slip-over styles, of excellent quality, pink, blue and white crepe, lace trimmed, regular and extra sizes. **79c**

THE STYLE SHOP

Opposite First National Bank 421 Chillicothe Street

The Oak Hill Press says:

"Miss Dalia Glover, foreman of The Press office, slipped one over on all her friends last Saturday. She went to Ironton, ostensibly on a shopping tour, in the morning, and returned home the same evening. She was joined in Ironton by Mr. Gilbert Day, of Portsmouth, and they were quietly married. Mrs. Day will remain with The Press force for awhile, at least."

Mrs. Margaret Reed's twin sons, Samuel and Joseph, will be confirmed next Sunday in the Episcopal church in their home town, Hillsboro, where Bishop Vincent, of Cincinnati, will conduct the services. Samuel and Joseph are fourteen years of age and are very tall for their age. Miss Mary Reed will go to Hillsboro to see her nephews confirmed.

Miss Ruth Andrews, of Hamilton, guest of Mrs. C. L. Strecker, will sing a solo at Trinity church Sunday evening.

Miss Ruth Andrews, of Hamilton, is a guest at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Strecker.

Mrs. George P. Shute, of 1713 Baird avenue, entertained a few friends yesterday afternoon as a farewell to Mrs. Paul Revare, who will move soon from Baird avenue to Robinson avenue. The guest list included the following: Mesdames Paul Revare, Bruce Hoobler, Ralph Donaldson and two children, Edward Keefner. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

The Kendall Avenue Ladies' Aid Society held a delightful Kensington yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Donley. The afternoon was spent in needlework, after which refreshments were served to the twenty members present.

DID THIS EVER HAPPEN TO YOU?

Wife—Harry dear, that parlor floor must be fixed up, it just looks awful, the paint is all scratched off, and just makes me sick every time I look at it.

Harry—Why, that's easily done, Mary, just telephone Flood & Blake for some Chinamel and I will put it on this evening.

Mrs. O. P. Philipps, of Chicago, who is visiting her brother, Carson Gordon, of No. 516 Third street, expects to return home Sunday.

Miss Vesta Keller, of Portsmouth, was visiting relatives in Harrisonville, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss May Gill, of Cincinnati, is visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Gill, on Third street.

Meet Me at Nye's Fountain. 12tf

Miss Mary Elizabeth Armstrong, daughter of Mrs. D. F. Armstrong, of Robinson avenue, and Mr. Peter D. Lehn, a machinist at the Terminals, were married Wednesday evening, at nine o'clock, at the Trinity Methodist parsonage. Rev. C. Lloyd Strecker officiated.

Division 2 of the First Baptist Ladies' Aid Society held a business meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clark Like. Next month's meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Flora Banfield.

Supreme Judge and Mrs. Oscar W. Newman, who have been living at 28 Jefferson avenue, Columbus, are now located at "The Cumberland," on Parsons avenue, in the Capitol City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rowe, of Seventh street, received word this morning of the birth of a son this morning, at 7 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Henry, in East Orange, N. J. The baby has been named John Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Silk, of Waller street, will leave Monday for Pittsburg, Pa., where their daughter, Miss Shirle Elizabeth Silk, will be graduated from Southern College on the evening of Tuesday, May 30th. Mr. and Mrs. Silk and daughter will return home next Thursday morning.

Miss Stella Rowe will go to Haverhill tomorrow to spend a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Mary Vingling.

There will be a meeting of the Play Ground committee next Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. W. Rowe, 1528 Seventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rardin are nicely settled in their new home, 1722 Waller street.

The G. G. C., Mrs. Henry Smith's class of the Second Presbyterian Sunday school will postpone the meeting planned for Saturday until Thursday afternoon, June 8th, at the home of Bernice Kimble.

Little Miss Sarah Louise Walker will entertain the Bigelow Methodist Mission band tomorrow afternoon at her home on Fifth street. All children of the Bigelow church are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Doty and daughter Elizabeth came down from Ironton one day this week in their fine, new Pierce Arrow car, to visit Mrs. Doty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dire and family, of Second street. They were accompanied by Mrs. Sanford Linck and children who had been a guest at the Doty home in Ironton for several days.

Not Always Desirable.

"Shall we advertise for a man with experience?"

"Well, I don't know. The last man had so much experience that we couldn't teach him anything."—Pittsburgh Post.

MUSIC LESSONS

Miss Sarah A. Maguet, post graduate of the Weitner Conservatory of Music, St. Louis, will give piano lessons either at her home, 1512 Franklin St. or at the homes of pupils. Reasonable terms.

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BUSINESS MEN WILL HOLD A GET TOGETHER SESSION

Get Together! Shake Hands and Get Acquainted, is the special object of a general meeting to be held by the Business Men's Association sometime next week. This was decided upon at a special meeting of the directors of the association held Thursday afternoon. A committee consisting of W. W. Anderson, William H. Burt and William Z. Tritscheller, was appointed to make arrangements.

This committee will meet Friday evening to decide upon the date for the gathering.

At this general meeting plans for the Greater 1916 Korn Karnival will be discussed. Every member of the association will be requested to attend, so that the suggestions of everyone can be obtained.

Members will be asked for suggestions as to the decorations to be used and the nature of the booths, if it is decided to have them.

Then, too, plans for a greater Business Men's Association will be discussed.

A resolution was passed expressing the appreciation of members of the association to the Portsmouth Street Railway and Light company for donating the use of four special cars for the formal opening of the Ohio Valley Traction company between Portsmouth and Wheelersburg, and to the citizens and business men of New Boston, Scioto-ville and Wheelersburg for the assistance they gave and to the Ladies' Aid society of the Wheelersburg Methodist church for the splendid luncheon they served.

Plans were also discussed for a "Dollar Day," to be held sometime this fall. The "Dollar Day" will be a bargain day with the merchants of the city, on which they will offer special values in merchandise at one dollar.

Dr. Edwards' STRENGTH TONIC

This Tonic which Dr. Edwards recommends is designed to restore strength to the weak, strength to the muscles, strength to the mind and strength to the nerves.

It is given to restore to the blood that rich red color which every weak and run down person must have before he can get well and strong.

That Natural Ruddy Color

Of good health is absent in cases of thin, weak and run-down patients. Their cheeks, lips and eyelids lack that normal blood tint; and the feeling of well being is not with them. **Dr. Edwards' Strength Tonic** restores the color to the blood, drives away that sickly greenish pallor of the complexion and supplies fuel for the vital fire in weak and thin people.

Nervous Patients

Dr. Edwards says patients are nervous because they do not have enough rich, red blood to feed the nerves. So he made this Tonic to give the blood just what it needs for that purpose.

Sugar Coated Tablets

Dr. Edwards has his Tonic put in a sugar coated tablet so it will be pleasant to take and will not injure the teeth. Pale, thin, weak and run-down people contract diseases more frequently than well ones. They are liable to have Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Bright's Disease, Nervous Dyspepsia, Insanity, Fevers and Consumption.

Don't Have These

Why not put yourself in shape not to have these diseases by letting **Dr. Edwards' Strength Tonic** help you out of your nervous and run-down condition? It will build you up right from the start by increasing your appetite, toning up the nervous system, enriching the blood and increasing your vital force. For sale by your druggist.

Second Nomination Of Officials By Jr. O. U. A M.

The application of William Lane was favorably balloted upon at a well attended meeting held by the Jr. O. U. A. M. Thursday evening. Preston Puckett and Charles Stewart were obligated. The second nomination of officers was held which resulted as follows: Councillor, Charles Martin; vice councilor, N. B. Cooper; assistant recording secretary, P. W. Quickel, J. M. Fligor, conductor, William Hall; warden, Henry Ryan, Arthur Blake; inside sentinel, Ben Clifton, Herbert Pugh; trustee, Owen Hopkins, O. W. Peed; representative to state council, C. B. Groninger, William West and Frank Schmidt; alternate, Alva Cowan, P. W. Quickel.

Arthur Blake received notice Thursday that he had been appointed state deputy council over Portsmouth council. The appointment is made by the state councilor. A class of from 35 to 40 candidates will be initiated at a special meeting to be held Saturday evening.

WISE BOY.

"I hope you didn't ask for a second helping of pie when you were at Mrs. Smith's house," said Johnny's mother. "No'm, I didn't," said Johnny. "I just asked her for the recipe, so you could make some pie just like it, and then she gave me another piece without my asking for it."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Tumbling Into Marriage.

Considering how boys and girls tumble into marriage without any previous instruction as to what marriage means or any previous preparation, even in their thoughts, for its unforeseen and unconsidered responsibilities, we might well be surprised that there are so few rather than that there are so many divorces.—Dr. Lyman Abbott in Outlook.

TOLEDO MAN EXPECTED TO DIE

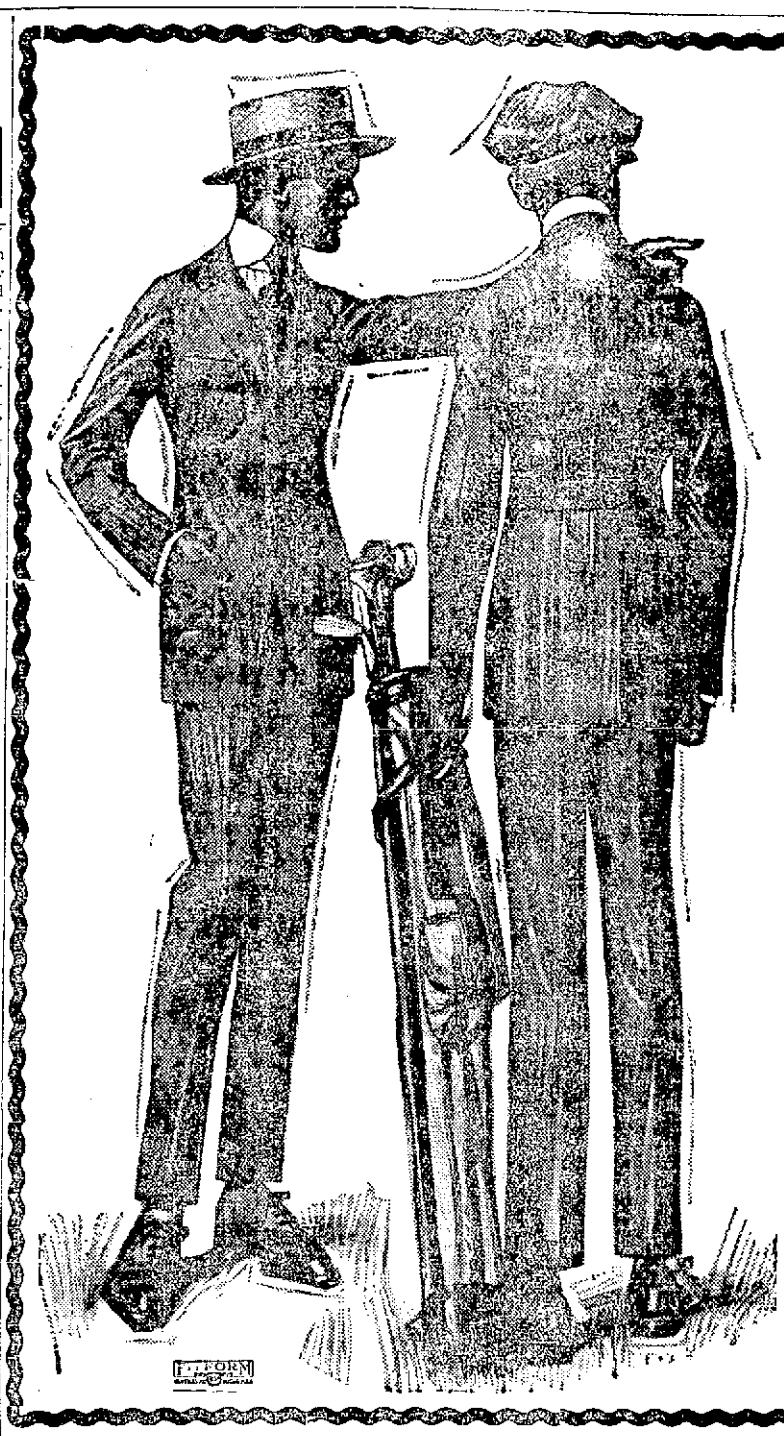
D. L. Bower, treasurer and manager of the New Overland and Real Estate Exchange at Toledo, thought death was close upon him. He suffered from derangement of the stomach and digestive tract and his condition was highly discouraging.

He took Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. Then he cheered up and went to eating. He had new interest in life.

J. W. Wood, Mr. Bower's partner, wrote:

This remedy is surely one of the greatest medicines I ever heard of. My partner spent $2,000 with renowned doctors in trying to get relief. He gave himself until about the 20th of September to live. He has taken three doses of your remedy. Now he can eat and sleep without any distress."

Mayr's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee—if not satisfactory money will be returned.



TOO many young men's fashions convey the impression—both to the wearer and to others—that the designer's shears fell short of the task he undertook. And how rarely you find a model which fulfills the young man's idea in such surprising manner as the Finchley Sack Suit and the Sport Pinch Back Suit. A point for you, young men to consider is this: The suits we show are all wool, the tailoring is absolutely the best, the fit you can be assured of too, the values are exceedingly good. These two popular models in young men's suits, ready-to-put on at $12 to $25. They appear in picture to the left.

Tailoring Department In Connection

Also Shoes

HALL BROS.

Masonic Temple Chillicothe and Fourth Sts.

New "Presser" In The City

Floyd "Chick" Hunter, employed as waiter at the Findeis cafe, will open a cleaning and pressing establishment at 616 John street, Monday, in the building formerly occupied by the Pure Milk Company.

CHANCE TO GET GOOD ROAD TO CINCINNATI

Scioto county citizens who are interested in securing a direct highway to Cincinnati, now have the opportunity to aid in this project, as there is a movement on foot to improve the one bad stretch along what is known as the "river route," which consists of about six miles in Adams county between Buena Vista and Rome. With that bad section improved there would be a good automobile road from as far east as Huntington to the Queen City. As it is now the trip from Portsmouth to Cincinnati must be made via Chillicothe, to find good roads.

To secure the state aid, which is a necessity if the bad part of the road is to be improved, a considerable sum of money must be raised, and all interested in this section are asked to help the good cause along.

Residents along several highways in Adams county are asking for improvements, and state officials have said that they will improve the road which raises the most money per mile.

Greene township, in which the bad section is located, is willing to be assessed fifteen percent. Residents along the road are willing to be assessed ten percent, and in addition are circulating a paper and subscribing liberally.

Manchester is helping and an appeal has already been sent to the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce, as that city is vitally interested in a good road from this section.

Anyone wishing to help this important movement is requested to communicate with Blair and Kimble, or John W. Hall, county clerk.

VIGOROUS MEN AND WOMEN ARE IN DEMAND

If your ambition has left you, your happiness has gone for ever unless you take advantage of Wurster Bros'. magnificent offer to refund your money on the first box purchased if Wendell's Ambition Pills do not put your entire system in fine condition and give you the energy and vigor you have lost.

Be ambitious, be strong, be vigorous. Bring the ruddy glow of health to your cheeks and the right sparkle that denotes perfect manhood and womanhood to your eyes.

Wendell's Ambition Pills, the great nerve tonic, can't be beat for that tired feeling, nervous troubles, poor blood, headaches, neuralgia, restlessness, trembling nervous prostration, mental depression, loss of appetite and kidney or liver complaints.

In two days you will feel better. In a week you will feel fine, and after taking one box you will have your old-time confidence and ambition.

Be sure and get a 50 cent box today and get out of the rut. Remember Wurster Bros'. and dealers everywhere are authorized to guarantee them. Mail orders filled, charges prepaid by The Wendell Pharmacal Company, Inc., Syracuse, N. Y.

All the next models in R. & G. Corsets

New Silk Auto Caps 50c

Chiffon Auto Veils, all colors.

The Bragdon Dry Goods Co.

New fancy Collars and Collar and Cuff sets ..... 25 and 50c

Grand values in Muslin Undergarments.

Secure your outfits at Bragdon's tomorrow. The store with the best assortment and lowest prices.

Decoration Day Next Tuesday

Women's and Misses' Palm Beach Suits

Nicely tailored, chic styles $5.75

New Middle Wash Suits, all colors $1.00

Women's White Skirts, in Gabardine 98c

Splendid values in Skirts, Pique, Gabardine, Palm Beach, etc. ..... $1 to $2.48

Gingham Petticoats including extra sizes .. 25c and 48c

Black Satine Petticoats specials ..... 48 and 75c

Bungalow Aprons, light and dark Percale 50c

Women's Percale Dresses, $1.00 values 59c

Women's fine Gingham Dresses, a dozen styles, sizes to 50 bust... 98c

Women's Waists

Vast collection of the newest in Wash Waists at.... 50c, 79c, 98c, $1.19 to $1.98

New Silk Waists in Crepe de Chine and Georgette at ..... $2.48 to $3.25

Misses' Middies, Navy and Red collars and cuffs. Special 48c

Also exceptional values in Middies at 75c, 98c and $1.19.

Women's Middy Waists, Navy or Red collars and cuffs 98c

Misses' Dresses 6 to 14 Special 48c

Better grades up to 98 cents.

Little Folk's Dresses in Gingham and Percale 25c to 39c

Little fellow's Oliver Twist Suits 25c

Rompers at ..... 15, 25 and 35c

Satine Bloomers, all sizes 35c values 18c

Boys' Rah, Rah Hats 19c

Infant's Embroidered Caps, special 25c

Knit Underwear

Women's Sleeveless Vests, nicely taped. Special 7c

Women's Sleeveless Vests V necks, all sizes 10c

Women's Union Suits, lace trimmed, all sizes 25c

Misses' Union Suits, lace trimmed all sizes 25c

Boys' and girls' Knit Waist Combination Suit, all sizes 25c

Boys' Union Suits in fine ribbed, Nainsook, Athletic, Poris Knit. Choice 25c

Men's Union Suits in Nainsook Athletic, fine knit, Balbriggan, all sizes. Choice 48c

Ankle or knee lengths, short sleeves and sleeveess.

Women's fine gauze silk lisle Hose Black, White and colors 25c value 15c

Women's Silk Boot Hose, in Black, White and colors 25c

Women's all Silk Hose in regular and extra sizes, Black and White and colors 50c

Children's Hose in Black, White and colors, per pair 15c

Children's Socks at ..... 10, 15 and 25c

Still time to make your own frock for Decoration Day. Exquisite line of Sheer Printed Wash Fabrics at economy prices

New White Silk Gloves, Black or White stitching 50c.

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Masonic Temple "THE STORE ACCOMMODATING" Fourth and Chillicothe

Wide Silk Ribbons, plain and fancies for sash or hair 19c yard

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All Hats trimmed and untrimmed must be sold by June 10th.

Profit thrown to the winds to accomplish our aim.

All new, up to date shapes and trims.

Trimmed Shapes 98c, $1.48, $1.98.

Values up to $5.00.

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Most remarkable values of the season.

And you cannot afford to miss this great bargain opportunity.

No hats reserved, hint to the wise. Come early.

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For the woman who wants the best fitting, best wearing, most stylish pump, I want to personally recommend this pump, absolutely correct in every detail. Made in both Patent Colt and Dull Mat Kid. See them, be fitted and you will buy a pair.

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The Sleepless Shoeman

Men's Silk Hose
10c Pair

We will place on sale for Saturday while they last 50 dozen of men's plain black all silk hose. These are seconds of the regular 25c and 35c grade. Some of them are short lengths, others mended but none torn or with holes. We sell them only as they are. Not over 5 pair to one customer. Come early for these as they are a wonderful bargain.
Special for 10c

ALL KINDS OF PICNIC SUPPLIES

We carry a large stock of picnic supplies of all kinds. Picnic plates, paper napkins, lunch sets, sandwich paper, paper cups, tin cups, etc. Buy your supplies here.

14 QT. WATER BUCKETS 25c

They are made of extra heavy block tin with heavy wired top, wire bail and wood handle. Note the size. Very special for 25c

GOOD HEAVY BROOMS 25c

We could not buy these today at this price. They are extra value and we should sell every one of them Saturday for 25c

EXTRA JUICY LEMONS 4 FOR ..5c

LENOX SOAP 9 BARS 25c

VERY FINE ORANGES 5 FOR ...10c

CANDY! CANDY! CANDY!

We never had a larger stock nor a better assortment of candy than we have now and it is all fresh and pure. Buy your candy here for Sunday and Decoration Day. 36 kinds at 10c pound. 30 kinds of chocolates at, per half pound 10c

OUR SECOND FLOOR DEPARTMENT

WOMEN'S HOUSE DRESSES 98c

We have just received a shipment of women's percale and gingham house dresses, some of which are worth up to $2.00 each. These go on sale Saturday for 98c

SHIRT WAISTS 35c, 45c, 69c, 79c

We are showing some very special values in shirt waists at the above prices. These are all specials and worth more than our price.

UP TO DATE SPORT HATS

Women's and girls' new summer sport hats in plain with wide brims also the popular stripes in all colors. Special at
49c, 59c, 69c, 79c, 89c,, 98c

CHILDREN'S SOFT HATS 49c

Girls' soft straw hats in three shapes. All with fancy bands. Excellent value for 49c

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ONE TO 25 CENT STORE

Rev. Hamilton Honored By Missionary Society

Rev. E. G. Hamilton, pastor of the Grandview Avenue Christian church was signally honored at the state convention held by the Ohio Christian Missionary society which convened at Mt. Vernon, O., May 22-25, when he was elected as one of the advisors on the board of managers.

Rev. Charles R. Oakley, pastor of the First Christian church, John Williams, president of the Loyal Men's class, Mrs. C. E. Ward, president of the Woman's Union of the First Christian church and Rev. Hamilton attended the convention. More than 500 delegates were present. The following officers were elected: President, C. B. Reynolds, Alliance; vice president, C. R. Sine of Hamilton and A. B. Houze of Lima; recording secretary, M. L. Denny of Mansfield; corresponding secretary, I. J. Cahill of Cleveland; chairman board of managers, H. E. McMillen, Cleveland; advisors, J. H. Golden, Cleveland; W. S. Goode, Youngstown; F. C. Ford, Cleveland; Justin N. Green, Cincinnati; E. G. Hamilton, Portsmouth; trustees, H. E. McMillen, A. R. Trachout, Noyes P. Gallup, W. H. Cowdery and S. M. Parks, all of Cleveland. Belle Fontaine gets the 1917 convention.

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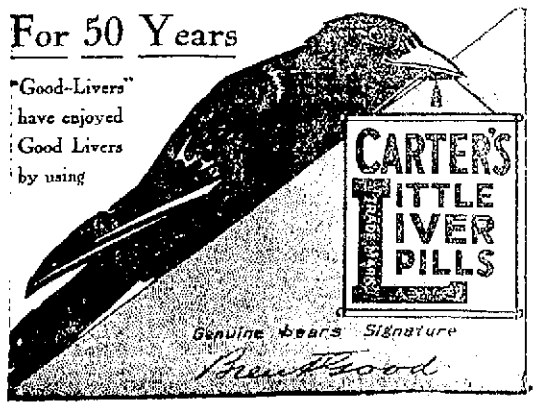

Nut Eater Insane

"I would rather stay in the woods and subsist on nuts and berries than live in the most handsomely appointed home in the country," said Harry Shoemaker, recently arrested on an affidavit charging lunacy, at an inquest held at Sheriff E. W. Smith's office Thursday afternoon. Shoemaker said that he could eat a peck of walnuts in a day.

It was a custom of Shoemaker, according to witnesses, to disappear from his home and remain in the woods for several days. He was adjudged insane.

Drs. J. W. Daehler and W. W. Smith conducted the inquest.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, May 26.
(Observations taken at 8 a. m. 75th Meridian Times.)

	Flood stage, feet	Height river, feet	Change last 24 hours	Precipitation last 24 hours inches
Franklin	15	4.1 F	-0.8	
Greensboro	18			
Pittsburgh	22	6.5 F	-0.2	
Dam No. 12	36	8.0 R	-0.3	
Zanesville	25	9.6 R	-0.1	.38
Parkersb'g	36	8.7 R	-1.6	
Charleston	30	8.3 P	-1.0	
Pt. Pleasant	40	7.7 R		
Huntington	50	9.2 F	-0.2	
Catlettsb'g	50	10.7 F	-0.1	
Portsmouth	50	13.2 F	-0.8	
Cincinnati	50	15.2 F	-1.2	

FORECAST

Fair over upper Ohio valley tonight and probably Saturday.

River at Portsmouth will not change much.

River Observer.

Rheumatic Pain Stopped

The drawing of muscles, the soreness, stiffness and agonizing pain of Rheumatism quickly yield to Sloan's Liniment. It stimulates circulation to the painful part. Just apply as directed to the sore spots. In a short time the pain gives way to a tingling sensation of comfort and warmth. Here is proof—"I have had wonderful relief since I used your Liniment on my knee. To think one application gave me relief. Sorry I haven't space to tell you the history. Thanking you for what your remedy has done for me."—James S. Ferguson, Philadelphia, Pa. Sloan's Liniment kills pain. 25c at druggists.

Attends Eylar Funeral

Judge Thomas, common pleas court went to Waverly Friday where he attended the funeral services of the late John A. Eylar, who passed away following an extended illness with Bright's disease Tuesday evening.

Will Suit Dismissed

The case of William Lintz against John P. Lintz, suit to set aside a will, was dismissed in common pleas court Friday without record. Mark A. Crawford and Arthur H. Bannon represented the defendant and Frank W. Moulton, the plaintiff.

Brings Back Bird Nelson

Sheriff E. W. Smith returned Thursday at midnight from Columbus with Bird Nelson in custody. Nelson was recently arrested at the Capitol City on a charge of failure to provide.

Partial Confirmation.

"Have you read of this theory about colors and the seasons?"

"No. What is it?"

"Joy is crimson. Gloom is blue. Quarrels are blue. Think there's anything in it?"

"Dunno. I never saw any black quarrels, but I have seen lavender spats."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Blue Serge Week
at The United - - Save $10

Extra Special Values For One Week
Beginning Tomorrow

Notwithstanding the big advance in Woolens the past six months, we have been able to purchase a lot of Blue Serge Cloth in plain and fancy weaves at the old prices enabling us to give our customers the most wonderful values ever offered in tailor-made clothes of this nature.

The colors are positively guaranteed fast and will withstand the rain or sun shine. The cloth is thoroughly shrunk before being made up, assuring you against the garment drawing up or puckering at the seams.

All Wool Blue Serge Suits
Tailored To Your Measure

$15.00 and $18.50

POSITIVELY GUARANTEED TO FIT AND GIVE ABSOLUTE SATISFACTION.

Every garment cut by an expert right here in our store. There isn't a style we can't make. Hundreds of other styles and weaves in dark and light patterns. Something here to please every man. We will guarantee to deliver the garment in one week.

OUR WONDERFUL VALUES HAVE MADE US THE MOST POPULAR TAILORS IN PORTSMOUTH.
Try us for your next suit, if you are not pleased we don't want your money.

United Woolen Co
TAILORS TO THE MASSES

Chillicothe Street Opposite Post Office

Special—"Kool Kloth" Suits to order. $10—Any style—Nifty Patterns.

Interest Shown In U. S. Official Council

Washington, May 26.—Advocates of the industrial preparedness displayed interest today in the $141,000,000 army appropriation bill's provision for an official council whose duty would be to co-ordinate industries and other economic resources in time of war. The council would consist of six members of the cabinet and would be aided by an advisory commission of seven experts. The bill, approved by the house military committee yesterday, will be reported to the house next Tuesday. It includes provision for making the Hay-Chamberlain army reorganization bill effective and is the largest army supply measure in the history of congress.s

Called His Bluff.

"I had no idea she'd accept me the first time I proposed."

"Did you think she would the second time?"

"There would have been no second time."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Order a sack from your grocer today.
Coburn Bros., Distributors.

Right Wrist Fractured

While unloading lumber for the Breece Manufacturing plant in New Boston, Friday morning, William Underwood, of Lewis county, Kentucky, had his right wrist fractured when a heavy timber fell on his wrist and hand. The accident occurred on a barge in the Ohio river where a gang of men were unloading lumber.

ALSPAUGH

Will furnish your home, investigate before buying elsewhere. adv

Turks and the Grave.

In Constantinople, as in other Turkish cities, bodies are placed in the ground as soon as the last spark of life has fled. The Mussulman believes that as long as the body is unburied the spirit is in torment and that it is a crime akin to murder to molest a grave. Accordingly the cemeteries around many oriental cities far exceed in extent the abodes of the living.

The Colt's Feet.

Watch the colt's feet. The hoof is liable to break off unevenly and make bad cracks.

MAGNOLIA WHISKEY

Was established in 1849. It has been before the public ever since.

Its quality has always been of the very best and has conformed to the wishes of the public.

Made from selected grain and under the most skillful distillation.

It is offered to the public in bottled in bond quarts.

Specially selected by connoisseurs for the family buffet, and by leading cafes and hotels.

McNally & Grummell
PORTSMOUTH, O.

Political Announcements

I desire to announce that I am a candidate for probate judge, subject to the decision of the republican primaries. If nominated and elected I will devote all of my time to the duties of the office, impartially, and for the interests of every person in Scioto county. Your support will be highly appreciated.

Thomas C. Beatty.
(Political Adv.)

One Way of Smoking a Cigar.

We in this country might conceivably manage to survive if our supply of cigars were cut off. It would be a much greater blow to other nations, kindreds and peoples—the natives of the Rand, for example—who are so crazy over their cigars that they put the lighted end in the mouth to make them last the longer.—London Standard.

At the Boarding House.

"Mrs. Skimp, you would make a very popular railroad manager."

"Why do you say that, Mr. Grouch?"

"Because of your tendency to keep cutting down the fare."—Baltimore American.

Peerless Bathing Beach Opens Decoration Day. Everything New. adv 25.2t

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Liberty Clothing Co.

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Decoration Day Is Only Three Days Away

That's the day you'll want to look your best. No use waiting until the last moment; select your Decoration Day apparel at The Liberty tomorrow—Saturday.

You Are Welcome To Cheerful Credit

Take Your Purchase Home With You

Young Man—

You'll want one of those classy suits like the college fellows and clubmen wear, the real thing in clothes fashion for young men. We offer you every new model, correct shade and weave in the season's choicest woolens—Ready to Wear—

$15.00 TO $25.00

Young Lady—

You'll want one of these smart "Sport" Suits of Silk Ratine and pretty combinations—

$10.00 TO $15.00

Or a stylish cloth or silk suit in the newest summer models—

$12.00 TO $25.00

And of course, you'll want one of these dashing styled coats for cool evening wear—$5.98 up.

Beautiful Silk, Cloth and Wash Skirts, Dainty Blouses, Charming New Dresses

Special for Saturday **Ladies' Wash Dresses $4.98**

Values up to $10.00 for .....

EVELYN THAW WEDS HER DANCING PARTNER

New York, May 26.—Evelyn Nesbit Thaw and Jack Clifford, her dancing partner, were married in Baltimore yesterday, it was announced today. They have been associated on the stage for three years.

Bull Dog Is Shot

Police Sergeant John Smith shot and killed a fine big tan spotted bull dog that had entered the yard of the Henderson home at 1015 Front street and was frothing at the mouth Friday morning. It is thought the dog had been poisoned. The words "Peerless Dentists" were inscribed on its collar.

TRAIN RIDERS ARE FINED

Clint Steinhauer was the name given by a man claiming to be a Muncie, Ind. carpenter on his way to Ironton to work, who was arrested by Detectives Reno and Leslie Thursday night for train riding. He was fined $5 in police court Friday but it was suspended on condition that he leave the city and remain away from freight trains in the future.

Hugh Kirtland, the young man caught peddling cigarettes in the North End and who now admits having come to Portsmouth on a freight train after claiming Thursday that he rode a passenger train to Portsmouth, was fined $5 for vagrancy. He claimed to have spent the past year riding cattle ships between Boston and Liverpool. The fine was suspended on condition that he leave the city at once.

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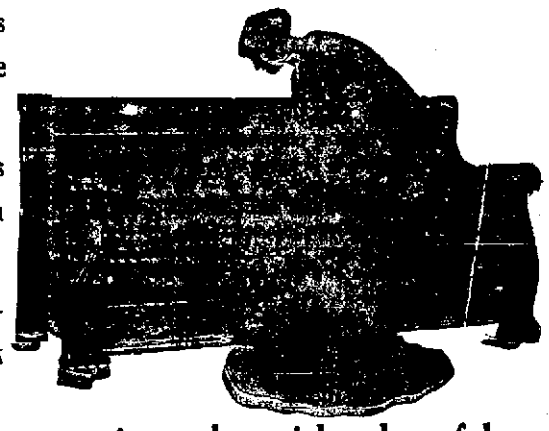
You Can Always Do Better at Horchow's!

Davenports and Davenos

Are the Most Desirable Pieces of Furniture in a Home!



A davenport takes the place of a couch, makes a beautiful seat and furnishes a strong, comfortable bed large enough for two.

A Daveno is a narrow davenport which replaces the old style settee and makes by doubly folding a bed four feet wide by six feet long.

The seat and back of our Davenports and Davenos are covered in imitation leather, genuine black and Spanish leather and fine tapestries.

As a piece of furniture they are attractive, substantial and useful and our prices are reasonable.

We have unloaded a car of these Davenports and Davenos and they are ready for your inspection.

Do not overlook our Summer and Porch Goods of all kinds, our lawn—porch-and gliding settees and swings. We are the distributors of the famous Cliptwood Porch Shades-none better.

We guarantee satisfaction.

The Sam'l. Horchow Company

842-844 Gallia Street

Splendid Program Is Prepared For Memorial Sunday Services

Bailey Post G. A. R., and its auxiliary, Spanish War Veterans, all ex-soldiers, sailors and marines, and all patriotic bodies, together with the citizens generally, including children, are hereby earnestly invited to join us in honoring the memory of our noble dead, on this, our annual Memorial Sunday services at the First Christian church, corner of Gay and Third street, on Sunday afternoon, May 28, beginning at 2:30 o'clock.

The Woman's Relief Corps and Auxiliary to the Sons of Veterans will assemble at the church entrance and be ready to receive the Post, with open ranks, in the usual form.

The Post will assemble at the regular headquarters on Gallia street, at 2:00 p. m. and move promptly at 2:15 o'clock for the church, being preceded by the drum and bugle corps and followed by the other societies taking part, they joining the Post at the Post hall on Gallia street and proceed to the church entrance above named, where the drum and bugle corps will continue to play until all the societies have passed in.

The Post, in taking their places in the church, will remain standing with covered heads until all societies are in place, when the Post Commander will order "Uncover" and "Take Seats."

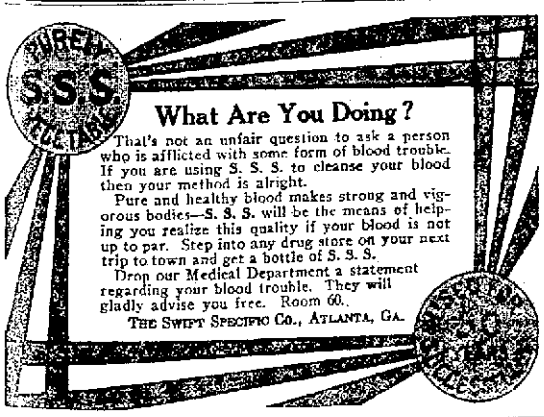
The following program will be observed:

Medley by the organist as the Post enters the church.

1. Bugle Call Assembly.
2. Reading of General John A. Logan's Memorial Day order by the Post adjutant.
3. Song, "Battle Hymn of the Republic", audience to join in singing the chorus.
4. Prayer by the Rev. Charles Oakley.
5. Song, "Tenting Tonight On The Old Camp Ground".
6. Reading of President Lincoln's Gettysburg address, by the Post Commander.
7. Song, "Just Before The Battle, Mother".
8. Saluting the dead by the comrades.
9. Song, "Some Sweet Day, Bye and Bye".
10. Sermon by the Rev. Charles Oakley.
11. Song, "Who will tell the Story when the Boys are Gone".
12. Selection by the Drum and Bugle Corps.
13. Taps by the bugler.
14. Benediction.
15. At the sounding of the bugle "Assembly" the Post will arise, and at command, the organization will file out, in the order of entering the church.

The audience will remain seated until the different organizations have passed out.

COMMITTEE.



What Are You Doing?

That's not an unfair question to ask a person who is afflicted with some form of blood trouble. If you are using S. S. S. to cleanse your blood then your method is alright.

Pure and healthy blood makes strong and vigorous bodies—S. S. S. will be the means of helping you realize this quality if your blood is not up to par. Step into any drug store on your next trip to town and get a bottle of S. S. S.

Drop our Medical Department a statement regarding your blood trouble. They will gladly advise you free. Room 60.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

D. of A. Will Initiate

Several candidates are slated for initiation at the weekly session of the Daughters of America to be held tonight.

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A quality line of Refrigerators.

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Early run pictures from the world's best producers

Eleventh, near Lawson

STRAND THEATRE

LAWSON STREET

Universal Program

Four reels of best pictures with appropriate music, 5 cents.

Are Still Working For New Hospital

A general committee was appointed Thursday evening at a special meeting of several physicians and business men, held at the Masonic Club, to devise ways mens to build a Citizen's hospital. Besides the twelve named Thursday, an additional six will be added before the next meeting is held, which will be sometime next week. This committee consists of Charles Cheyney, Andrew Glass, John T. Breece, John E. Williams, George D. Selby, Dr. W. W. Smith, Dr. J. B. Fitch, Dr. S. S. Halderman, Dr. H. A. Schirrmann, Dr. A. L. Test, Frank V. Knauss and Dr. J. S. Rardin.

This committee will formulate plans to raise the money necessary to build an adequate institution.

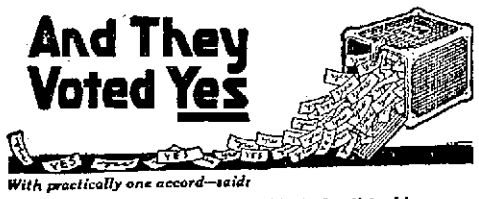
Louisa Lodge Has Meeting

Members of Louisa Lodge held a very short routine session Thursday evening, the majority of the members leaving to attend the concert at the German Evangelical church.

We put it up to Hundreds of Dentists

Long before SENRECO was offered to you we submitted it to hundreds of dentists, requesting that they put it to every test. Told them that we believed Senreco to be an unusually good dentifrice, especially as to its cleansing qualities and its remedial action on sore, soft, bleeding gums; in the treatment of Pyorrhea, etc. Submitted the formula and asked them their opinion. They tested Senreco from every angle; some going even so far as to make a chemical analysis—

And They Voted Yes



With practically one accord—said:

"Senreco appeals to me more than any dentifrice I have ever seen." "I cannot say too much for Senreco. It's one of the best I have used." "I can recommend Senreco as the best." "Makes the teeth glisten and is free from injurious ingredients, including pumice and grit." "I am indeed glad to get a tooth paste that does the work." "Congratulate you on formulating a dentifrice that gives one a new idea of mouth cleanliness, etc." (These quotations are from the dentists' reports. Originals on file at our office.)

With such endorsements from the men who know; why not go to your dealer today and get a tube of SENRECO—25c. Keep your teeth REALLY CLEAN, and protect yourself against Pyorrhea and decay.

A copy of the folder, "The Most General Disease in the World" together with a liberal trial size tube of SENRECO will be mailed you for 4c in stamps. The Sentanal Remedies Co., Inc. Dept. B, Masonic Temple, Cincinnati, Ohio.

80 Cents' Worth of "Palmolive" for ONLY 44 Cents!

3 Cakes of PALMOLIVE Soap, a Jar of PALMOLIVE Cream or a bottle of PALMOLIVE Shampoo—44 cents buys this assortment at this store. A wonderful opportunity to stock up on fine toilet goods at a fraction of the usual cost—the price of the three cakes of soap is usually 30 cents, that of the cream or shampoo 50 cents—you get an **actual 80 cents' value in all!**

Better come in and get yours now—you may want to repeat—you know PALMOLIVE quality. No restrictions, as much as you want—spend 88 cents and get 6 cakes soap and both Cream and Shampoo.

FISHER & STREICH PHARMACY

Sixth and Chillicothe Streets
Opposite Post Office

Have You A Want?—Fill It With A Times Want Ad

Decoration Day Next Tuesday, May 30

Only a few days away, and of course while paying your respect to the boys of 61-65 you will want to look your best. That being the case, it matters not how well our suit fits, how jaunty your hat, how flashy your tie or ribbons—you will be miserable all day long if you have not foot comfort. We are the very people you want to see if you are looking for comfort. And mind you well, you do not have to sacrifice style for comfort. Our line of shoes embraces all the 100 per cent makes in the country and we can fit any man, any woman, any boy or any girl. We have the most varied assortment in this part of the state and we guarantee to save you much money. In fact we cannot buy today some of the shoes we are offering the public at 25 per cent more than we secured them—that means they are yours at a big saving.

We believe, women, that we have the only high top boots in all grey and with patent vamp and grey lid top in the city. They are beauties and the real big city shoes. Come and let us show them to you — we know they will please.

Chas. Weber

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GEORGE M. TAYLOR, Managing Editor.

THE PERMANENT GOOD

Although prosperity is universal and abounding, all around and everywhere, and retail trade is greater in volume than ever before, merchants take the position it is not as brisk as might fairly be expected under existing conditions.

This seems rather contradictory, yet there seems to be a reasonably satisfactory explanation at hand. No, we are not going to say the automobile, though that has undoubtedly a tendency to lessen general buying. The reason is a better and far more commendable one, it is that the people in the mass are learning to save. Thrift is being practiced by thousands, tens of thousands, hundreds of thousands to whom the virtue was entirely unknown a few years, aye, even a few months back. We have a glowing proof of this right here in the Peerless and from it we can easily draw conclusion as to how the retailer may be affected by it. Hundreds of children last November started savings accounts. To the surprise of all concerned they in the main, have steadily continued to add to them, and so substantially that the total to their credit in one institution runs up to near six thousand dollars. A great portion of that amount, not all of it, of course, had it not been put away would have been spent for candy, ice cream and knick-knacks, necessarily adding to the volume of trade. Yet, it by no means represents savings in the aggregate, for there isn't a financial institution in the city that hasn't felt the growth of this practice to a most healthy extent. We are not to believe this sudden springing up of a condition is singular to Portsmouth, it is known to prevail generally over the country and is working some remarkable conditions in the financial world. A quarter of a century ago the word Yankee was synonymous with thrift. New England had more in bank savings than all the rest of the country put together. That made Boston the capitalist of the country. She supplied the bulk of the money that went into railroads, manufacturing and shipping corporations, insurance and farm loans. Today, through savings, that supremacy has been taken from her altogether, has almost disappeared in the country at large. New York takes the lead now, but she is complaining that Chicago, St. Louis and one or two other western cities are no longer borrowers in her money marts, but are themselves furnishing capital for the operation in their territories.

If the retailers complain savings are injuriously affecting their sales, they are doing so mistakenly, they are counting for today and not for tomorrow. Thrift may do less buying, but in the end it does longer and better buying. Hard times are made by waste and extravagance, and the brunt falls upon the merchant. If Portsmouth becomes distinct for the thrift of her people that means in time her tradesmen are going to be noted for their solidity and prosperity.

THE WONDERFUL LITTLE WANTS

Many people have tried the "want" advertisement columns of The Times and satisfactory results have given their efficacy a wide local fame. You could not make Herbert S. Houtoon, president of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, which is to meet soon in Atlantic City, believe otherwise than that they are the greatest and most potent things in any newspaper. It was a tiny "want" that changed his whole career and converted him from a plodding reporter into one of the most successful advertising writers and managers of all of the continents. Years ago he was working on a Chicago newspaper and read "a want" of a firm that wanted an advertising writer. He didn't know a thing about advertising that he or anyone else knew of, but he believed in it and had enthusiasm and energy to offer. May be one didn't have to know so much about publicity in those days as the art as a business was undeveloped and ventures in it crude and experimental largely. Anyway, he was employed, quite to his surprise, and he set himself to his new work, giving to it the best there was in him. It was not long before he had won a distinct reputation for himself and he has brought fortune to others and that and fame to himself. He is now vice president of Doubleday, Page and Company, one of the largest publishing houses in the country, and, of course, directs its advertising.

Yes, it has been some weather, but then both the Ohio and Scioto have, for once, not taken advantage of it to conduct themselves in unseemly way.

Yes, the entries for the Times corn growing contest are filled, but still there ought to be more than a bare sufficiency.

One of the good signs of the times is that the steel company wants more land.

Politics are said to arrive at the heated stage in West Virginia. We would surmise as much when we read that ten thousand voters have registered at Charleston for the primaries, and Charleston has only an estimated population, always liberal, of 30,000. But then Charleston is in West Virginia, where they vote not alone the quick and the dead, but dogs and other beasts.

We do not believe it fair that the doctor who promulgated that city life was healthier than country, had in mind the back-to-the-farm movement. No, not movement, for there isn't any such perceivable to the naked eye, only just newspaper talk.

AND ALL FOR WHAT?

The London Observer, one of the most conservative of English papers, in its issue last week, says that the war will last at least three years, provided everything goes well with the Allies this summer. If however, the Germans drive back the Russian line on the Riga-Dvinsk front during the summer and menace or capture Petrograd or Moscow, the Observer says that the war will be of five or six years duration as it will take that long for the Allies to win. This English paper thinks that the deciding battles of the war will be fought out on the Turkish front, the combined English and Russian armies crushing Turkey and advancing through Austria into Germany. It hints that this is the scheme of action to which the Allied generals are committed.

The Observer also is bitterly criticising the ministry of Asquith and declares that the only man in the cabinet who measures up to the job is David Lloyd-George. His rise in the confidence of the English people has been remarkable and he seems to possess the traits that made Pitt the greatest war minister England ever had. That Lloyd-George will ultimately be at the head of the English ministry seems most probable.

Having been denied entrance into the front door by the Nebraska Democracy, Bryan denies that he will sneak in by the back way on a delegate's proxy. The denial is not necessary, for his record as a good loser stands against any such idle invention.

Nothing like having a reputation. Columns of newspaper laudation are being given to Germany for moving the hands of the clock an hour "to conserve daylight" and save illuminants, but France, England, Holland and other nations have done the same thing, assumably for the same purpose.

A Harvard professor has come forward with a cheap substitute for preparedness. He says psychology will perpetuate peace. Viewing that yawning and constantly widening chasm in the national treasury we declare for psychology every time, even to giving the aforesaid Harvard professor a monopoly on it.

The open dates are being rapidly taken up. It is Dayton that dedicates the "Horse Day". The dog day we already have, but there is the cat and the whole zoological category to be drawn upon.

As far as we can read New Hampshire is not particularly proud at the effort made to credit George W. Bubber, a reported presidential nominee to her. That about evens it up, since George W. long ago stole the granite dust of New Hampshire from his progeny and claims residence there for office purposes only.

Dr. L. O. Howard, chief of the federal bureau of entomology, says there is no reason why people should not eat bugs. But there are two quite sufficient. Nobody likes 'em and they can scarcely be caught in sufficient quantities to be used as a steady diet.

A clever way has been seized upon at Akron to make public dances unpopular. Every female attending must show her birth certificate.

So far there has been a frost every month this year, but that is no indication that the record of 1816, when there was one for every month, is going to be equaled.

Looking at the situation before Verdun we should say the thing in a fight is not to take a given point, but ability to hold on to it, when once taken.

The efforts of the Italians to exceed the running record established by the Russians in the earlier stages of the campaign is a feat the Allies are in nowise inclined to encourage.

Since everybody, up to and including council, is in favor of a regulation of street fairs that will eliminate, there is no call for delay in getting down to business.

In Kansas nowadays, the small town is distinguished by the fact that ice cream at the church social is home made.—Kansas City Star.

It may be and it is among the probabilities even, that Republicans will have to lick the hand that smote them, or else do some scratching. Roosevelt is in the ring to win the nomination.

The interurban's patronage is said to come up to expectation, which is saying about the best possible for a new venture.

Bed Time Tales

By Clara Ingram Judson

Magic Ears

"What in the world are you doing?" asked one little fairy of another, as he looked across at the tree on which the second little fairy was playing.

"I'm looking at the moss," said the second fairy, whose name, by the way, was Shine. "And, I say, Glint, why don't you come over and see this beautiful moss for yourself?"

Of course Glint was eager to see anything that Shine had found to play with—you know how that is yourself; so he scrambled down from the tree he was on and ran half way up the other one before Shine had time to expect him.

"Now then," he cried, "where's the moss?"

"Right here," replied Shine, rubbing his hand over the dark green velvet that grew on the north side of the tree. "Isn't it beautiful?"

"It's beautiful," said Glint; "but it isn't moss. I know moss when I see it, and I would suppose you did too. Don't you know that moss sends up little branches? That it looks more like grass? This is green, to be sure, but it isn't moss—I'm sure of that!"

"Then maybe you'll tell me what it is," exclaimed Shine, petulantly, for he didn't like to have his words disputed.

"That I cannot," replied Glint, good-humoredly; "but I'll tell you what we can do. Let's put on our listening ears and ask the green velvet itself to tell us what it is."

"All right," said Shine, his good-humor quickly restored when he found there was something pleasant to do; "let's!"

So the two fairies reached down into their pockets and pulled out their magic ears—the ears that would let them understand the speech of every plant and creature, and settled themselves down for a talk.

"Now if you please," said Glint, addressing the north side of the tree, where the green lay soft and velvety against the bark, "will you please tell us who you are and how you live?"

"To be sure I will, and gladly too," replied a sweet little voice. "I heard you talking just now and I wished I could tell you all about myself. My name is Protococus, but that is so big and long and I am so little that most folks just call me green moss."

So the two fairies reached down into their pockets and pulled out their magic ears

(Shine grinned happily and made signs to Glint to notice.)

"I am so tiny that nobody can see me till a thousand of my family are piled one upon another. I do not grow as moss does, no, indeed. I am just a tiny round creature and I grow by cutting myself in two—that's the easiest way to grow, let me tell you. I live on air, so the tree bark makes a good home for me, but I am always careful to select the north side of the trunk, for I am no friend of the sun—it is a bold sun and would soon dry me up! And I guess that's all!"

Glint and Shine pulled off their ears and looked at each other. "Next time I look at the north side of a tree," said Shine, "I'll look for my new friend—Protococus."

Tomorrow—Mully Mole

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NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

By O. O. McINTYRE.

New York, May 26—Many things can happen along its route that Broadway and its denizens care but little about, included among which might be named the hour at which the milk wagons arrive and any new drink that William Jennings Bryan might be sponsor for.

But it, and its, does care about its tonsorial artists, and when the news spread that the barbers were going to call a strike the street appeared a bit gloomy. At present the smoothly shaven face is quite the thing. But, if the barbers strike, whiskers may become popular.

Then, too, the actor of forty who has been playing juvenile parts would be exposed. No longer could he convince the manager that he was only twenty-two.

All in all, no matter what happens to the rest of the city, Broadway doesn't want any barbers' strike, for a razor in the hand of a Rialtoite is often somewhat hard to handle with safety on the morning after a merry night before.

There was something inspiring about the Preparedness Parade in New York last week when 150,000 business men of great prominence marched through the streets.

Military bands were sprinkled through the long lines of marchers and played lustily the new patriotic song, "Wake Up America!" Many of the marchers sang the refrain and staid New Yorkers shouted themselves hoarse.

It took the parade more than an hour to pass a given point. Some of the marchers declared they had not walked so far in years, and there was a mad scramble for arnica the following day.

At a fashionabble church wedding on Fifth Avenue this week a young man was stopped at the door by the sexton, who asked him if he was related to the bride or bridegroom.

He replied that he was not. "Then," said the sexton," you will pardon me for asking what interest you have in a ceremony that is to be of the quietest character?"

"I am," the young man announced sadly, "the defeated candidate."

Broadway's most celebrated beauty has broken all precedents. Most of the Broadway beauties marry Pittsburgh millionaires, but this one married a newspaper reporter. He isn't exactly a reporter now, but he has been all his life up to a few years ago.

The news came from London that Kay Laurell, who used to be a $15 a week telephone girl in Erie, Pa., had married Winnie Sheehan, long a police reporter on the Evening World.

There was no intimation that they were to be married. In fact they had not been seen together much on Broadway. Sheehan was over in England on moving picture business. Miss Laurell came from Erie to be an artist's model and her beauty soon won her a place in a beauty chorus, where she became the petted darling of first nighters.

The annual pilgrimage to the summer homes has begun. Long Beach seems to be greatly in public favor, although many say it is too close to New York to be exclusive. Still one of the most exclusive summer resorts is jammed up against Coney Island. It is Sea Gate and you have to be known before the gate-keeper will permit you to enter.

Those who stay in town, however, have the advantage of the weak ends at the various coast resorts and at the same time do not have to commute during the week.

Doc Kokos Kolumn

The Perfect Way

She always kept everything perfectly clean
From the cellar clear up to the top;
For neatness and order she surely was keen
And no one could get her to stop.
Her husband could never find comfort at home,
For fear he would muss up the place
Where his wife with a broom and a duster would roam
With a stern sort of look on her face.

She never had time to be reading a book,
She never had time for a call,
Instead she was scrubbing some corner or nook
Or sweeping the stairs or the hall.
She swept all her beauty and gladness away,
She swept all the joy out of life
Until she became an automaton gray,
A cleaning machine—not a wife.

She scrubbed all the love from the heart of her spouse,
Her children were playless and glum,
She had her reward—an immaculate house
Where nobody ever would come.

She swept and she dusted and scrubbed like a slave
Till she swept herself into the tomb,
And the monument now at the head of her grave
Is a duster, a brush and a broom!

—Berton Braley, in the Character Builder.

Sure of It

"Did you post that letter I gave you this morning, John?"

"Yes, love."

"Are you quite sure?"

"Absolutely, my dear. I remember particularly I forgot to put a stamp on it."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Just His Luck

The convicted murderer's lawyer whispered to his client what he thought would be good news.

"It seems a cinch that you would get life imprisonment," he said, "but I can tell from the judge's look that he is going to let you off with twenty years."

"That may seem nice to you," he said, "but I used to be a life insurance actuary, and for a man of my age twenty years figures out about seven years longer than life imprisonment. I always get the worst of it."—Pittsburgh Chronicle.

How He Won

A rich old man was asked how he made his money.

"Simplest thing in the world," he said. "I always did the reverse of what everybody else was doing. If everybody bought I sold—prices were high. If everybody sold I bought—prices were low."

The Only Thing

"What did you catch on your fishing trip in the country?"

"The last train back."—Baltimore American.

Ain't That The Truth

A pupil in a school near Chatham Square, New York City, thus defined the word 'spine.'

"A spine is a long, limber bone. Your head rests on one end and you set on the other."—Lippincott's Magazine.

Not Such a Fool

"Here's a strange case," said Mrs. Spotter to her husband. "A man they called the town fool died, and they weighed his brain. It was heavier than the average."

"Is that all it says about him?"

"Yes—except that he was for many years entirely dependent on well to do relatives."

"Huh, he was no fool! If you have well to do relatives, why use your brains?"—Judge.

Destined

"I believe," declared the Irishman, "that me youngest son's born t' be a surgeon."

"Phwat leads ye t' say that?" asked his friend.

"Oi caught him usin' th' scissors on a book O'd lately bought, an' before Oi c'd stop him he'd cut out th' appindix."—Exchange.

How Many, If He Intended To Stay?

"A 16-page letter from Tom! Oh, what does he say?"

"He says he's going to call this afternoon."—Life.

Simplest Way

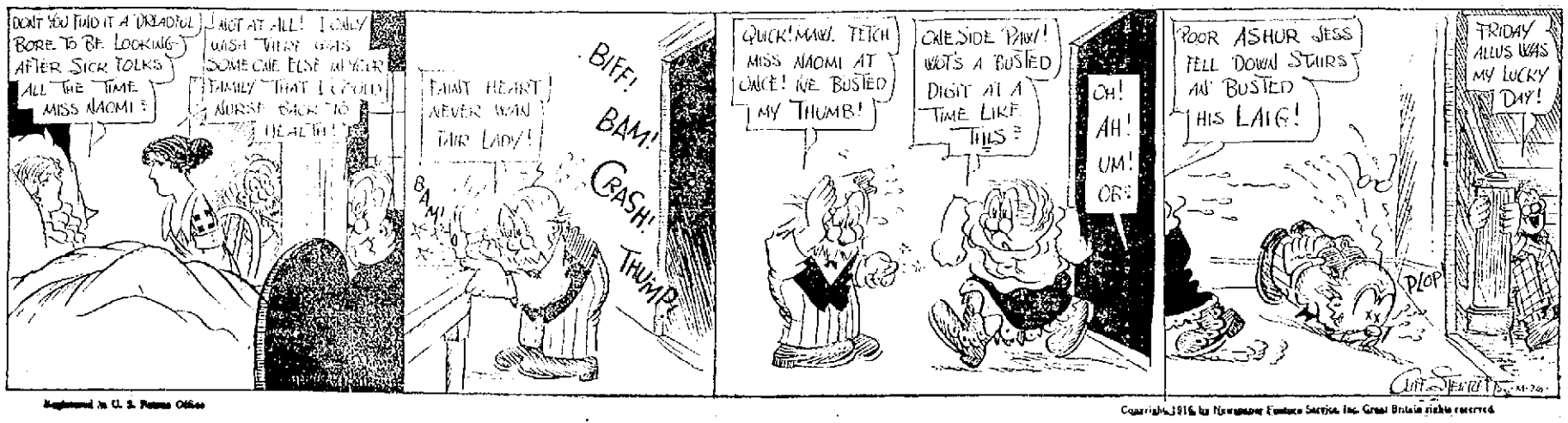
She—And did you break off the engagement?

He—Not brutally, you know. Just told her what my army pay is.—London Opinion.

POLLY AND HER PALS

What's a Thumb to a Leg? Wake Up, Pa!

By CLIFF STERRETT



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MANY WOMEN WOUNDED IN FOOD RIOTS; FIGHT POLICE

Fair Sex Swoop Down On Butcher Shops; Seize Meats

London, May 26.—An Amsterdam dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company says that 18 women were wounded in a fight between police and food rioters at Frankfort-on-the-Main Wednesday night, according to a dispatch received at The Hague. The riot is said to have started owing to a shortage of meat in the local butcher shops. Three hundred and fifty women who had been told there was no meat for them, marched through the streets carrying black famine flags and singing Socialistic songs. The women forced their way into one butcher shop although it was guarded by soldiers and policemen. After a search they found some meat which they cut up and continued their march holding the pieces above their heads. Police attempted to take the meat from the women and a general fight followed in which the officers used their swords.

"I WANTED THEM TO DIE; I WANTED MONEY," WAITE TELLS MEMBRES OF JURY

New York, May 26.—Could a sane man commit the series of crimes confessed by Dr. Arthur Waren Waite?

This question confronted the jury today in the Peck murder case. The young dentist left the witness stand last night after five hours and forty-five minutes crowded with horrors unparalelled in the history of New York crime. Every detail of his story was noted by the alienists engaged by the defense for use in framing the hypothetical question they will be called upon to answer before Waite's attorneys ask the jury to decide whether he was mentally responsible when he killed his father-in-law, John E. Peck.

Waite's testimony left the prosecution's attorneys today nothing more to do toward proving that he committed murder. Their problem was to show that a monster of crime, such as the defendant confessed himself, might have been mentally normal and therefore a fit subject for the electric chair.

Counsel for the defense said today that they had few, if any more questions to ask their client. It was expected that the alienists would take the stand soon after the state finished cross examining the defendant.

The supreme moment of Waite's tale came last night when the young witness declared in calm, conversational tone, **"Why, I wanted those bacteria to kill those three persons—Mr. Peck, Mrs. Peck and Miss Peck, the maiden aunt. I wanted them to die. I wanted their money."**

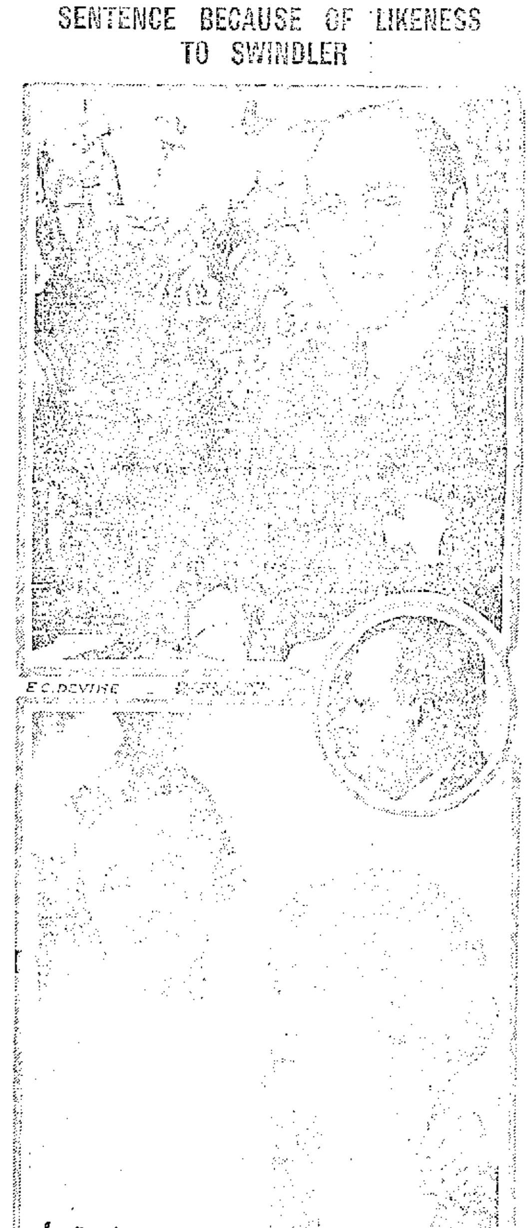
This attempt to murder three persons, two of whom he sent to their graves, was the climax, Waite showed, of a long career of crime. Without a change of voice or expression to indicate that he recognized the enormity of his confession, he described minutely how he gave his victims arsenic, powdered glass, chloroform, disease germs and overdoses of medicine, how he burned fly paper and gave the residue, which he had read contained arsenic, to Mr. Peck, how he generated chlorine gas in the father-in-law's room to make his throat more sensitive to the germ cultures, how he dampened the sheets in his bed and drove him in a swift automobile with open windows and raised the windows of his room in midwinter in an unsuccessful effort to give him pneumonia.

SALONIKI FRONT MAY SEE ACTIVITY ON PART OF ALLIES

Athens, May 26, (via Paris)—Exceptional military activity at Saloniki is believed here to portend developments of great importance. General Howell, chief of the British staff, and other officers of the allies, who have been in Athens, have been recalled suddenly.

On May 8 Bulgaria was reported to be sending heavy reinforcements to the Saloniki front in anticipation of a general offensive by the allies. Since that time dispatches from various sources have reported activities in France and British forces, the most notable being the occupation of Florina, 18 miles south of Monastir, by allied troops, on May 23.

INNOCENT MAN BARELY ESCAPED PRISON SENTENCE BECAUSE OF LIKENESS TO SWINDLER



MRS. E. C. DEVINE & DAUGHTER (ARROW) [illegible] PARKER

Chicago, May 26.—[illegible] committed [illegible] had never [illegible] Divine, now wealthy and head of a theatre corporation [illegible] went to prison as a forger. His case is one of the strangest [illegible] and the details have just come to light through Mr. Divine, who visited his convict double in the state penitentiary at Charlestown, Mass.

Late in the summer of [illegible], Divine and F. Parker, one of the alias [illegible] assumed by the "double", opened an office in Worcester, Mass. He closed a [illegible] deal involving [illegible] with A. B. Turner, a Boston broker. Turner subsequently found that the check handed him by Parker was a pure forgery.

About a month later a Boston detective walked into the office of Edward M. [illegible] and Co., bankers, of Chicago, where Divine was [illegible] [illegible] and arrested him. He answered the description of Parker to [illegible] detail. Their physical features were the same. Both had brown hair, which was [illegible] from the forehead, and each had a tiny dimple in the [illegible]. Mr. Turner was summoned from Boston. He positively identified Divine as Parker. Several of the Turner firm also declared the innocent man the person who [illegible] by the [illegible].

Divine was hurried east and put through the third degree. He was [illegible] could [illegible] extradition papers [illegible] the police to send Divine to [illegible] for trial. [illegible] Divine was asked to write his name so that it could be compared with Parker's on the check. The signatures tallied exactly.

Finally Divine was able to prove an alibi. He had been with A. K. Brown, president of the Kenwood Trust Company in Chicago at the very hour the forged check was handed to Turner in Boston.

Although Divine was immediately freed of the charge, he was a marked man for several years and lost one position after another when his employers learned that he had once been tried for forgery. However, he persisted and today is prosperous.

Parker, the real forger, was not arrested until 1914, in Atlantic City. He was wanted for passing a forged check on a Philadelphia firm. Other forgeries were traced to him, and finally Mr. Turner identified him as the man who gave him the worthless check for which Divine almost went to prison.

KING GEORGE SIGNS BILL FOR CONSCRIPTION

London, May 26.—The signature of King George was today affixed to the military service bill recently passed by parliament. In giving the royal sanction to the bill, King George issued the following message to the nation:

"To enable our country to organize more effectively its military resources in the present great struggle for the cause of civilization, I have, acting on the advice of my ministers, deemed it necessary to enroll every ablebodied man between the ages of 18 and 41.

"I desire to take this opportunity of expressing to my people my recognition and appreciation of the splendid patriotism and self-sacrifice they displayed in raising by voluntary enlistments since the commencement of the war no less than 5,041,000 men—an effect far surpassing that of any other nation in similar circumstances recorded in history and one which will be a lasting source of pride to future generations."

TROOPS KILLED BANDIT LEADER

Field Headquarters, Near Namiquipa, Mexico, May 26.—(Via Radio to Columbus, N. M.)—Candelario Cervantes, the Villa bandit leader, was killed by American troops south of Cruces yesterday.

ITALIANS ARE OPTIMISTIC DESPITE BATTLE REVERSES

Rome, via Paris, May 26—The reverses of the Italians on a portion of the Trentino front has not caused [illegible] in official circles. [illegible] is pointed out that the [illegible] of [illegible] is four hundred [illegible] and that there need be no [illegible] that these should be withdrawn [illegible] some points under overwhelming pressure.

[illegible] that the Austrians now [illegible] mountainous section of [illegible] territory is considered of [illegible] importance when compared [illegible] fifteen times greater territory [illegible] by the Italians in [illegible]. It is also contended that, [illegible] enemy continues to advance, [illegible] which have favored [illegible] will be reversed, as the [illegible] from his base of operations [illegible] the more difficult will it be [illegible] ammunition for his heavy [illegible]. On the other hand, the [illegible] will enjoy the advantage of [illegible] roads, four main railroads [illegible] inexhaustible reserves [illegible] their immediate rear.

[illegible] considerations are independent of the natural obstacles [illegible] the Austro-Italian front [illegible] from that at Verdun. [illegible] statement has been issued [illegible] it is impossible to [illegible] to trench fighting in a [illegible] Trentino, where large [illegible] can be easily transferred [illegible] one point to another [illegible] any section of [illegible].

[illegible] number of refugees from [illegible] and neighboring villages have arrived at Milan, where they are being cared for in charitable institutions. The evacuation of their home towns was ordered by the Italian military authorities when the great Austrian offensive started.

Washington, May 26—American advocates of an international federation to curtail war after the present European struggle, met here today for the first assembly of the new league to enforce peace. William Howard Taft, president of the league, and Newton D. Baker, secretary of war, were on the day's program, and President Wilson's address at the closing session tomorrow night will be a significant utterance, it is thought. About two thousand persons, including presidents of the universities, railroads, commercial, labor and farm organizations, attended the meeting.

Speakers referred only incidentally to methods of ending the present war, since the league's program includes only the minimizing of future conflicts over questions which might be adjudicated by an international court. All urged that the United States become a party to the suggested agreement. They pointed out that war might not be abolished, but it would be curtailed, for the international league would allow combat only if the court decree were not accepted by any nation.

Vitalite used on all Enamel work by Brehmer, the Painter. 1-tf

ATTACK U.S. POLICY

Mexico City, May 26—The government newspapers, in their editorials today, make savage attacks on the policy of the United States in Latin America, which they denounce as imperialistic and hypocritical.

U. S. FIGURED IN DEBATE

Berlin, May 26 (via London)—The United States played a large role in the censorship debate in the Reichstag yesterday. Two of the principal speakers, Deputy Oertel, conservative, and Deputy Hirsch, National Liberal, severely criticised the government for measures which they alleged were adopted to suppress criticism of the United States in the newspapers and to put brakes on the agitation for a more vigorous submarine campaign.

SURVIVORS REACH SHORE

Bonifacio, Corsica, May 26. (Via Paris)—Twenty-four survivors of the crew of the Spanish steamer, Aurrera, which was sunk by a submarine, have arrived at this port in two of the ship's small boats.

Get busy, men! Don't let the fact that you are temporarily out of a job make your whole future look black. Read TIMES WANT ADS.

WEATHER

Ohio—Fair tonight and Saturday, except probable showers Saturday near Lake Erie.

The livest telephone wires in Portsmouth are those leading to the TIMES WANT AD department.

GREECE IS AROUSED OVER SUB ATTACKS

Athens (via Paris) May 26—The agitation throughout Greece caused by the news that Teutonic submarines had torpedoed three Greek vessels continues to grow. Resolutions have been passed by the League of Ship Owners and the Sailors' Labor Union, demanding that the government take action to stop attacks on Greek merchant ships.

The ship owner's league has decided to bring a legal action in an effort to obtain the seizure of the Austro-German vessels interned in Greek ports unless the central powers indemnify the owners of the torpedoed Greek merchantmen.

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COLT PITCHER "BLOWS," GOOD BYE BALL GAME

Big Rally In Ninth Inning Wrests Victory From Colts; Five Hits Turned Trick

WELL, fans, it was all done in the fatal ninth inning yesterday at Millbrook when Portsmouth and Lexington wound up a series of four games. By pulling one of the most sensational rallies ever seen in the yard Portsmouth turned what looked like sure defeat into sweet victory. The final score was 3 to 2. For eight innings the Colts led the way with a 2 to 0 score and the way Lingrel, visiting hurlsman, was performing it looked like it was all over but the proverbial shouting, but as we calmly rose to remark last week, a game is not out until the last flame of hope has been snuffed out and never was it more forcibly shown than on Thursday when by pinching off the last Lexington game in a belated rally the Champs succeeding in breaking even with the Colts.

During the first eight innings the pitchers were extremely effective and the fans saw a genuine ball game, one that was played right up to the handle by aspiring and ambitious athletes, not pay day performers like we have seen even up in the big show. A tough break in the first inning almost proved disastrous to Ferguson, but the old boy never wavered and during the next seven innings he performed skillfully, in fact only three Colts reached first at the initial frame, McClelland on a hit in the sixth, Barrett on a pass in the seventh after two were down and McClelland on Demoe's error in the eighth after two Kentuckians had been extinguished. Some exhibition of hurling. Lingrel too was just as effective until the ninth. Up to this inning he had yielded four safe raps, one in the first, one in the second, one in the fifth and one in the eighth.

There were really only two innings to the game and they came at the extreme ends of the battle. Lexington scored its pair of tallies at the get away and Portsmouth clustered her trio of sweet scented runlets in the ninth.

Lexington got away to a flying start. Deveraux singled for a starter, Wright popped to Ferguson trying to put Deveraux down. Then it was that McClelland sent an ordinary liner right at Dilts, but the latter lost it in the smoke that hung over the park and the ball was not intercepted until it rattled the right field fence. But Portsmouth had game fortune smile on her for a moment as Deveraux was caught trying to score from first. Thi- put two out of the way and McClelland on third. But the Colts kept pegging away. Beers singled and McClelland scored. Moran singled and Beers raced to third. He and Moran worked a double steal when Dillhoefer tossed low to Demoe and Reddy scored. That was the last Colt run. White kindly contributed the third out by hitting one to Dilts, who carpeted under it and squeezed the pill like a country boy does his sweetheart.

Then for eight innings no runs were made, but Portsmouth was not to be kept out of the run column. Oh gracious goodness, no.

In the ninth Bauer singled, Fisher doubled, McHenry singled, Bauer scoring, Fisher caught at plate, Dilly stalled, to cancel McHenry. Demoe singled and in came Dilly standing up. Goodnight, Colts.

And boys, there was only one pin knocked down. Some drippingly sweet rally.

Ponder over the telltale dainty tit-bit figures:

PORTSMOUTH	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Dilts, rf, p	3	0	0	1	1	0
Bauer, 3b	3	1	1	2	5	0
Fisher, cf	3	0	2	1	1	0
McHenry, lf	3	1	2	3	1	0
Dillhoefer, c	3	1	1	3	0	0
Demoe, ss	3	0	1	1	4	1
Spencer, 1b	3	0	1	15	0	0
Bush, 2b	3	0	1	0	6	0
Ferguson, p	2	0	0	1	2	0
Alendrix, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	3	9	27	20	1

LEXINGTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Deveraux, lf	3	0	1	10	0	1
Welchi, cf	4	0	0	3	0	0
McClelland, ss	4	1	3	1	1	1
Beers, c	3	1	1	5	3	0
Thomas, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
White, 3b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Mayo, lf	4	0	0	2	1	0
Barrett, 2b	2	0	0	1	3	0
Lingrel, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	2	6	25	10	2

[illegible] out with a run scored.

Alendrix batted for Ferguson in ninth.

Lexington [illegible]

Portsmouth [illegible]

Hits—Portsmouth, Ferguson, [illegible]

Errors [illegible]

Two Base Hits—McHenry, Fisher.

Three Base Hits—McClelland 2.

Sacrifice Hits—Dillhoefer.

Stolen Bases—Beers, Moran, McClelland 3.

Base on Balls—Ferguson [illegible] Lingrel 2.

Hit by Pitcher—Dilts.

Struck out—Ferguson [illegible] Lingrel [illegible]

Left 1.

Double Plays—White, Barrett, Beers [illegible]

Umpires—Mc[illegible] and Swanson.

Time [illegible]

Attendance [illegible]

Reds Beat Cubs

Hurrah for the Reds, they won another. They beat the Chicago Cubs yesterday 8 to 1 on Redland field.

The score:

CHICAGO	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Schulte, lf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Mann, rf	4	2	1	2	0	0
Williams, cf	5	0	1	3	0	0
Zimmerman, 3b	5	1	0	0	2	0
Saier, 1b	3	1	1	11	0	0
McCarthy, 2b	3	0	3	2	2	1
Fischer, c	3	0	0	1	3	0
Mulligan, ss	4	0	0	0	7	0
Brown, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Alendrix	1	0	0	0	0	0
McComb, p	3	0	3	2	2	1
Totals	36	4	9	21	16	2

Alendrix batted for Brown.

CINCINNATI	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Groh, 3b	3	2	2	2	1	0
Neale, cf	5	1	1	1	0	0
Chase, 1b	5	1	1	1	0	0
Winsch, r	3	0	0	1	2	0
Griffith, rf	2	1	0	2	0	0
Mollwitz, 1b	2	2	1	12	1	0
Herzog, ss	4	0	1	1	3	0
Lowden, 2b	3	1	1	3	6	1
Mitchell, p	1	0	2	0	2	0
Totals	28	8	9	27	15	1

Cincinnati [illegible]

Chicago [illegible]

J. E. BRADFORD IS FRIEND OF OLD KENTUCKY

Well-Known Portsmouth Shoe-Maker Endorses Famous Tobacco

It takes a wonderfully good tobacco to stand the test for fifty years. That's what Old Kentucky has done, and its sweet, rich, distinctive flavor is just as popular to-day as it ever was. Read what J. E. Bradford, well-known Portsmouth, O., shoemaker, says about it:

"I have used OLD KENTUCKY for thirty-four years. I learned to chew OLD KENTUCKY when I was fourteen years of age, and it is still the best tobacco that I can find. I use three plugs a week."

Old Kentucky is a high quality tobacco. No better leaf grows than the choice, sun-ripened, mellow old Burley of which it is made. No chewing tobacco can be so completely delicious and satisfying.

Old Kentucky will give you a new idea of how pure and delightful a chew of tobacco can be. Get a 10c plug from your dealer today and begin to enjoy it.

OHIO STATE LEAGUE

STANDING OF CLUBS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Portsmouth	12	4	.750
Charleston	8	7	.533
Lexington	8	8	.500
Huntington	7	8	.467
Frankfort	6	9	.400
Maysville	5	10	.333

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Charleston 11, Frankfort 8, first game.
Charleston 13, Frankfort 7, 2nd game.
Maysville 5, Huntington 4, 1st game.
Maysville 9, Huntington 2, 2nd game.
Portsmouth 3, Lexington 2.

GAMES TODAY

Portsmouth at Charleston.
Huntington at Frankfort.
Maysville at Lexington.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

STANDING OF CLUBS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Brooklyn	17	10	.630
Philadelphia	16	12	.571
New York	15	13	.536
Boston	15	13	.536
Chicago	15	14	.517
Cincinnati	16	20	.444
St. Louis	15	19	.441
Pittsburgh	12	20	.375

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Cincinnati 8, Chicago 1.
Pittsburgh 5, Brooklyn 0.
No others scheduled.

GAMES TODAY

New York at Boston.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Cincinnati.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

STANDING OF CLUBS

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cleveland	22	12	.647
Washington	21	12	.636
New York	18	13	.581
Boston	17	15	.531
Chicago	14	19	.424
Philadelphia	13	18	.419
Detroit	11	20	.355
St. Louis	12	21	.357

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Boston 5, Detroit 2.
Philadelphia 1, Cleveland 3, called in the fourth; rain and darkness.
New York 7, St. Louis 5.
Chicago 5, Washington 3, called in fourteenth, darkness.

GAMES TODAY

Philadelphia at Washington.
Boston at New York.
No others scheduled.

TERMS SHIFT AROUND

There is a general shift in all Ohio State league clubs today.

Portsmouth opens a four game series in Charleston, Maysville begins a similar series in Lexington and Huntington drops down to Frankfort for a quartet of games.

He Pitched Great Ball

[illegible]

Big Series In Boston

[illegible]

JUST GOSSIP

[illegible]

Record Of Home Play

[illegible]

Found Colts Pretty Bad

[illegible]

Game Played In Record Time

[illegible]

Saylor Lasts One Round

Cincinnati, May 26.—Charlie White, of Chicago, knocked out Milburn Saylor of Indianapolis in the first round of their scheduled ten round bout here last night. Saylor did not land a blow on White.

White knocked Saylor to the floor for the count of four before a minute of the first round had passed. Saylor came up dizzy and White handed the knockout blow. The men weighed 130 pounds at one o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Lingrel Was All In

Fans set in wonderment yesterday when Lingrel's offerings were being vigorously mauled in the ninth. Why Manager Guy, Colt manager, didn't work Lingrel, who blew sky high. Thomas was warmed up, but he never pitched the game to hurry to Lingrel's rescue and the latter was permitted to be slaughtered until the game was over.

Are Winning On The Road

Have you noticed how those Ohio league teams have been winning on the road this season?

Portsmouth on its last trip was four straight from Lexington. Charleston just won five in a row and Lexington won six out of eight, four in Maysville and two here.

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HOW IT WAS WON OUT

Bauer beat out hit to short.

Fisher tickled right field boards for pair of sacks, Bauer skipping to third.

McHenry lined single to left, Bauer scoring.

Fisher was nailed at plate trying to follow Bauer by Guyn's long and accurate peg.

Dillhoefer singled to short, McHenry scoring. Dillhoefer took second when McClelland made poor throw at home to catch McHenry after knocking down Dillhoefer's sizzler.

With the count one and one Demoe smashed one over short and Dillhoefer easily scored from second, Guyn not making a play at the plate.

Demoe put his spikes in first sack like Mr. Merkle failed to do and game was over.

There was only one man in the door house.

Charleston Wins Two

The Charleston Senators thumped Huntington Thursday when they won a double header from the Frankfort team, the scores being 11 to 8 and 13 to 7. Jones, Sears and McCluskey pitched the games for Charleston and Smith and Bailey for the losers for the Leaguers. They were old fashioned scoring contests.

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LEGAL NOTICE

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NOTICE
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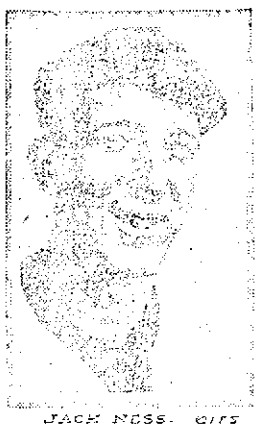
NESS AND FOURNIER TO ALTERNATE AT FIRST FOR WHITE SOX



JACK NESS. GIFS

Clarence Rowland, manager of the Chicago White Sox plans to alternate Fournier and Ness at first base this season, according to the pitchers signing the Sox. Sunday will be used against the right handed pitchers and Ness against the southpaws. The trade of Ness to the minors brought Lord, catch to manage and Rowland was sick of the of ones to get him back.

Ness, it will be remembered, set the record for the fewest number of consecutive hits, which with the Boston Red Sox last year.

How Beavers Are Faring

Here are the playing records of the local team of [illegible]:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Dills	1	0	1.000
Kunz	1	0	1.000
Ferguson	1	1	.500
Lindsey	2	2	.500
Beck	1	2	.333

Get busy, men! Don't let the fact that you are temporarily out of a job make your whole future look black. Read TIMES WANT ADS.

LEGAL NOTICE—BOND SALE

[illegible]

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Dilts Gets Credit For Winning Thursday's Game

Several tricks by a strange twist of fate lost the ball game and then won it, that is he got credit for winning the game.

In the first inning after he opened his hand settled in the Mendelsohn's wicked floor he permitted it to roll over his hand and when he recovered the ball Mendelsohn was a sitter on third. There was one man down at the time and Dilts could have been forgiven for the visitors in Hoopedup Frame.

Dilts was [illegible] in the ninth when Landis [illegible] in the game to [illegible] the game.

[illegible] winning run was made with [illegible] the luck he got credit for winning game. He got Moran on a [illegible] grounder in the ninth, walked the [illegible] White and Guyn flunked [illegible] leagues just over the left [illegible] wobbled up.

Good Bye Huntington

Maysville copped both games of a double header from Huntington yesterday, 9 to 4 and 9 to 2.

First Game.

Maysville [illegible]

Huntington [illegible]

Two base hits—Wright, Gibson, Pierce 2, McCluskey, Robert, Kelly, Brown, Mellencamp. Three base hits—Peacock, Gibson, McCluskey and Mellencamp. Sacrifice hits—Conner, Griffin and Mellencamp.

Second Game.

Maysville [illegible]

Huntington [illegible]

Two base hits—Wright, Gibson, Pierce 2, Robert, Mellencamp. Three base hits—Peacock, Gibson, McCluskey and Mellencamp. Sacrifice hits—Conner, Griffin and Mellencamp.

Don't let another sun set with your WANT unfold. Use the TIMES which reaches over 9,000 homes every day.

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THE PERMANENT GOOD

Although prosperity is universal and abounding, all around and everywhere, and retail trade is greater in volume than ever before, merchants take the position it is not as brisk as might be expected under existing conditions.

This seems rather contradictory, yet there seems to be a reasonably satisfactory explanation at hand. No, we are not going to say the automobile, though that has undoubtedly a tendency to lessen general buying. The reason is a better and far more commendable one, it is that the people in the mass are learning to save. Thrift is being practiced by thousands, tens of thousands, yes, is of thousands to whom the virtue was entirely unknown a few years, aye, even a few months back. We have a glowing proof of this right here in the Peerless and from it we can easily draw conclusion as to how the retailer may be affected by it. Hundreds of children last November started savings accounts. To their surprise of all concerned they in the main, have steadily continued to add to them, and so substantially that the total to their credit in one institution runs up to near six thousand dollars. A great portion of that amount, not all of it, of course, had it not been put away would have been spent for candy, ice cream and knick-knacks, necessarily adding to the volume of trade. Yet, it is no means represents savings in the aggregate, for there isn't a financial institution in the city that hasn't felt the growth of the practice to a most healthy extent. We are not to believe this sudden springing up of a condition is singular to Portsmouth, it is known to prevail generally over the country and is working some remarkable conditions in the financial world. A quarter of a century ago the word Yankee was synonymous with thrift. New England had more in bank savings than all the rest of the country put together. That made Boston the capitalist of the country. She supplied the bulk of the money that went into railroads, manufacturing and shipping corporations, insurance and farm loans. Today, through savings, that supremacy has been taken from her altogether, has almost disappeared in the country at large. New York takes the lead now, but she is complaining that Chicago, St. Louis and one or two other western cities are no longer borrowers in her money marts, but are themselves furnishing capital for the operation in their territories.

If the retailers complain savings are injuriously affecting their sales, they are doing so mistakenly, they are counting for today and not for tomorrow. Thrift may do less buying, but in time it does longer and better buying. Hard times are made by waste and extravagance, and the brunt falls upon the merchant. If Portsmouth becomes distinct for the thrift of her people that year in time her tradesmen are going to be noted for their ability and prosperity.

THE WONDERFUL LITTLE WANTS

Many people have tried the "want" advertisement columns of The Times and satisfactory results have given their efficacy a world wide fame. You could not make Herbert S. Houston, president of The Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, which is to meet in Atlantic City, believe otherwise than that they are the greatest and most potent things in any newspaper. It was a "want" that changed his whole career and converted him from a jobbing reporter into one of the most successful advertising writers and managers of all of the continents. Years ago he was working on a Chicago newspaper and read "a want" of a concern that wanted an advertising writer. He didn't know a thing about advertising that he or anyone else knew of, but he believed he could. He had enthusiasm and energy to offer. May be one didn't know so much about publicity in those days as the art as a science was undeveloped and ventures in it crude and experimental largely. Anyway, he was employed, quite to his surprise, and devoted himself to his new work, giving to it the best there was in him. It was not long before he had won a distinct reputation for himself and he has brought fortune to others and that also to himself. He is now vice president of Doubleday, Page & Company, one of the largest publishing houses in the country, and, of course, directs its advertising.

It has been some weather, but then both the Ohio and Scioto, for once, not taken advantage of it to conduct themselves unseemly way.

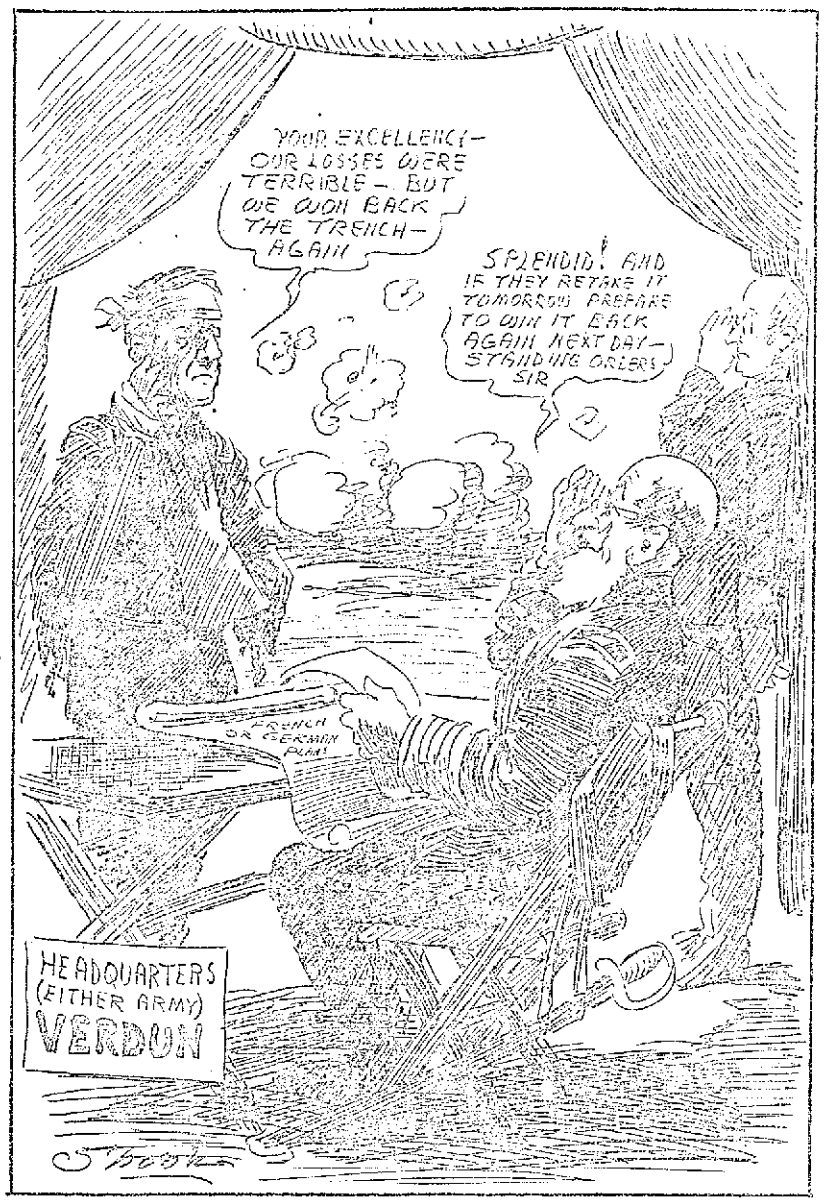
The entries for the Times corn growing contest are filled, and there ought to be more than a force sufficiency.

One of the good signs of the times is that the steel company is ahead.

Roses are said to arrive at the heated stage in West Virginia. The world surmise as much when we read that ten thousand have registered at Charleston for the primaries, and that is only an estimated population, always liberal, of ten thousand. Charleston is in West Virginia, where they vote the quick and the dead, but dogs and other beasts.

We do not believe it fair that the chorus who pronounced Lincoln was healthier than country, had in a full the week-to-movement. No, not movement, for there isn't any such to the naked eye, only just newspaper talk.

AND ALL FOR WHAT?



The London Observer, one of the most conservative of English papers, in its issue last week, says that the war will last at least three years, provided everything goes well with the Allies this summer. If however, the Germans drive back the Russian line on the Riga-Dvinsk front during the summer and succeed in capture Petrograd or Moscow, the Observer says that the war will be of five or six years duration as it will take that long for the Allies to win. This English paper thinks that the decisive battles of the war will be fought out on the Turkish front, the combined English and Russian armies crushing Turkey and advancing through Austria into Germany. It hints that this is the scheme of action to which the Allied generals are committed.

The Observer also is bitterly criticising the ministry of Asquith and declares that the only man in the cabinet who measures up to the job is David Lloyd-George. His rise in the confidence of the English people has been remarkable and he seems to possess the traits that made Pitt the greatest war minister England ever had. That Lloyd-George will ultimately be at the head of the English ministry seems most probable.

Having been denied entrance into the front door by the Nebraska Democracy, Bryan decides that he will sneak in by the back way on a delegate's proxy. The denial is not necessary, for his record as a good loser stands against any such idle invention.

Nothing like having a reputation. Columns of newspaper laudation are being given to Germany for another the hands of the clock an hour "to conserve daylight" and save Germany, etc. But France, England, Holland and other nations have done the same thing, assumably for the same purpose.

A Harvard prutes or has come forward with a cheap substitute for preparedness. He says psychology will perpetuate peace. Viewing this yarn we constantly widening chasm in the national treasury we declare for psychology every time, even to giving the advocate of Harvard professor a monopoly on it.

The open date is fast rapidly taking up. It is Dayton that dedicates the "Horse Day". The dog day we already have, but there is the cat and the whole zoological category to be drawn upon.

As far as we can read New Hampshire is not particularly proud at the fact that it credit George W. Perkins, a native of the Granite State, but we think it up since Theodore W. Roosevelt shook the granite dust of New Hampshire from his brogans and shines wonderfully for other purposes only.

Dr. I. O. Howard, chief of the federal bureau of entomology, says there is no reason why people should not eat bugs. But there are two quite sufficient. Nobody likes 'em, and they can scarcely be caught in sufficient quantities to be used as a steady diet.

A clever way has been solved upon at Akron to make public dances impossible. Every female attending must show her birth certificate.

So far there has been a frost every month this year, but that is no indication that the record of 1916, when there was one for every month, is going to be equalled.

Looking at the situation before Verdun we should say the thing in a fight is not to take a given point, but ability to hold on to it, when once taken.

The efforts of the Italians to exceed the record established by the Russians in the earlier stages of the campaign is a fact the Allies are in receive inclined to encourage.

Since everybody, up to and including himself, is in favor of a legislature of street fakes, there will be no difficulty there is no one for doing it get down to business.

In Kansas nowadays, the sheriff never is disappointed by the fact that he wants at the church, instead of being such, is a City Star.

It may be and it may be the possibilities are, but Rapallo, Italy, is a place to be avoided.

Rans will have to lick the hand that smote them, or else do some scratching. Roosevelt is in the ring to win the nomination.

The interurban's patronage is said to come up to expectation, which is saying about the best possible for a new venture.

Bedtime Tales

Magic Ears

"What in the world are you doing?" asked one little fairy of another, as he looked across at the tree on which the second little fairy was playing.

"I am looking at the moss," said the second fairy, whose name, by the way, was Shine. "And, I say, Glint, why don't you come over and see this beautiful moss for yourself?"

Of course Glint was eager to see anything that Shine had found to play with, for, you know how that is yourself; so he scrambled down from the tree he was on and ran half way up the other one before Shine had time to expect him.

"Now then," he cried, "where's the moss?"

"Right here," replied Shine, rubbing his hand over the dark green velvet that grew on the north side of the tree. "Isn't it beautiful?"

"It's beautiful," said Glint; "but it isn't moss. I know moss when I see it, and I would suppose you did too. Don't you know that moss sends up little branches? That it looks more like grass? This is green, to be sure, but it isn't moss. I'm sure of that!"

"Then maybe you'll tell me what it is," exclaimed Shine, petulantly, for he didn't like to have his words disputed.

"That I cannot," replied Glint, good-humoredly; "but I'll tell you what we can do. Let's put on our listening ears and ask the green velvet itself to tell us what it is."

"All right," said Shine, his good-humor quickly restored when he found there was something pleasant to do; "let's!"

So the two fairies reached down into their pockets and pulled out their magic ears—the ears that would let them understand the speech of every plant and creature, and settled themselves down for a talk.

"Now if you please," said Glint, addressing the north side of the tree, where the green lay soft and velvety against the bark, "will you please tell us who you are and how you live?"

"To be sure I will, and gladly too," replied a sweet little voice. "I heard you talking just now and I wished I could tell you all about myself. My name is Primocens, but that is so big and long and I am so little that most folks just call me green moss."

So the two fairies reached down into their pockets and pulled out their magic ears

(Shine grinned happily and made signs to Glint to notice.)

"I am so tiny that nobody can see me till a thousand of my family are piled one upon another. I do not grow as moss does, no, indeed. I am just a tiny round creature and I grow by cutting myself in two—that's the easiest way to grow, let me tell you. I live on air, so the tree bark makes a good home for me, but I am always careful to select the north side of the trunk, for I am no friend of the sun—it is a bold sun and would soon dry me up! And—I guess that's all!"

Glint and Shine pulled off their ears and looked at each other. "Next time I look at the north side of a tree," said Shine, "I'll look for my new friend—Protococcus."

Tomorrow—Molly Mole

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NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY, BY O. O. McINTYRE.

New York, May 26.—Many things can happen along its route the Broadway and its denizens care but little about, included among which might be named the hour at which the milk wagons arrive and any new drink that William Jennings Bryan might be sponsor for.

But it, and its, does care about its honorial artists, and when the news spread that the barbers were going to call a strike the street appeared a little gloomy. At present the smooth-as-shaven face is quite the thing. But, if the barbers strike, whiskers may become popular.

Then, too, the actor of forty who has been playing juvenile parts would be exposed. No longer could he convince the manager that he was only twenty-two.

All in all, no matter what happens to the rest of the city, Broadway doesn't want any barbers' strike, for a razor in the hand of a Bloodhound is often somewhat hard to handle with safety on the morning after a merry night before.

There was something inspiring about the Progressives Parade in New York last week when 150,000 persons in a spirit of great prominence paraded through the streets.

Military bands were sprinkled through the long lines of marchers and played lustily the new patriotic song, "Wake Up America." Many of the marchers sang the refrain and could New Yorkers shouted themselves hoarse.

It took the parade more than an hour to pass a given point. Some of the marchers declared they had not walked so far in years, and there was a mad scramble for arnica the following day.

At a fashionable church wedding on Fifth Avenue this week a young man was stopped at the door by the sexton, who asked him if he was related to the bride or bridegroom.

He replied that he was not. "Then," said the sexton, "you will pardon me for asking what interest you have in a ceremony that is to be of the quietest character?"

"I am," the young man announced sadly, "the defeated candidate."

Broadway's most celebrated beauty has broken all precedents. Most of the Broadway beauties marry Pittsburgh millionaires, but this one married a newspaper reporter. He isn't exactly a reporter now, but he has been all his life up to a few years ago.

The news came from London that Kay Laurell, who used to be a $15 a week telephone girl in Erie, Pa., had married Winnie Sheehan, long a police reporter on the Evening World.

There was no intimation that they were to be married. In fact they had not been seen together much on Broadway. Sheehan was over in England on moving picture business. Miss Laurell came from Erie to be an artist's model and her beauty soon won her a place in a beauty chorus, where she became the pested darling of first nighters.

The annual pilgrimage to the summer homes has begun. Long Beach seems to be greatly in public favor, although many say it is too close to New York to be exclusive. Still one of the most exclusive summer resorts is jammed up against Coney Island. It is Sea Gate and you have to be known before the gatekeeper will permit you to enter.

Those who stay in town, however, have the advantage of the week ends at the various coast resorts and at the same time do not have to commute during the week.

Doc Kokos Kolumn

The Perfect Way

She always kept everything perfectly clean
From the cellar clear up to the top;
For neatness and order she surely was keen
And no one could get her to stop.
Her husband could never find comfort at home.
For fear he would muss up the place
Where his wife with a broom and a duster would roam
With a stern sort of look on her face.

She never had time to be reading a book,
She never had time for a call,
Instead she was scrubbing some corner or nook
Or sweeping the stairs or the hall,
She swept all her beauty and gladness away,
She swept all the joy out of life
Until she became an automaton gray,
A cleaning machine—not a wife.

She scrubbed all the love from the heart of her spouse,
Her children were playless and glum.
She had her reward—an immaculate house
Where nobody ever would come.

She swept and she dusted and scrubbed like a slave
Till she swept herself into the tomb,
And the monument now at the head of her grave
Is a duster, a brush and a broom!
—Berton Braley, in the Character Builder.

Sure of It

"Did you post that letter I gave you this morning, John?"

"Yes, love."

"Are you quite sure?"

"Absolutely, my dear. I remember particularly I forgot to put a stamp on it."—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

Just His Luck

The convicted murderer's lawyer whispered to his client what he thought would be good news.

"It seems a cinch that you would get life imprisonment," he said, "but I can tell from the judge's look that he is going to let you off with twenty years."

"That may seem nice to you," he said, "but I used to be a life insurance actuary, and for a man of my age twenty years figures out about seven years longer than life imprisonment. I always get the worst of it."—Pittsburgh Chronicle.

How He Won

A rich old man was asked how he made his money.

"Simplest thing in the world," he said. "I always did the reverse of what everybody else was doing. If everybody bought I sold—prices were high. If everybody sold I bought—prices were low."

The Only Thing

"What did you catch on your fishing trip in the country?"

"The last train back."—Baltimore American.

Ain't That The Truth

A pupil in a school near Chatham Square, New York City, thus defined the word 'spine.'

"A spine is a long, limber bone. Your head rests on one end and you set on the other."—Lippincott's Magazine.

Not Such a Fool

"Here's a strange case," said Mrs. Spotter to her husband. "A man they called the town fool died, and they weighed his brain. It was heavier than the average."

"Is that all it says about him?"

"Yes—except that he was for many years entirely dependent on well to do relatives."

"Huh, he was no fool! If you have well to do relatives, why use your brains?"—Judge.

Destined

"I believe," declared the Irishman, "that me youngest son's born t' be a surgeon."

"Phwat leads ye t' say thot?" asked his friend.

"Oi caught him usin' th' scissors on a book O'id lately bought, an' before Oi c'd stop him he cut out th' appindix."—Exchange.

How Many, If He Intended To Stay?

"A 16-page letter from Tom! Oh, what does he say?"

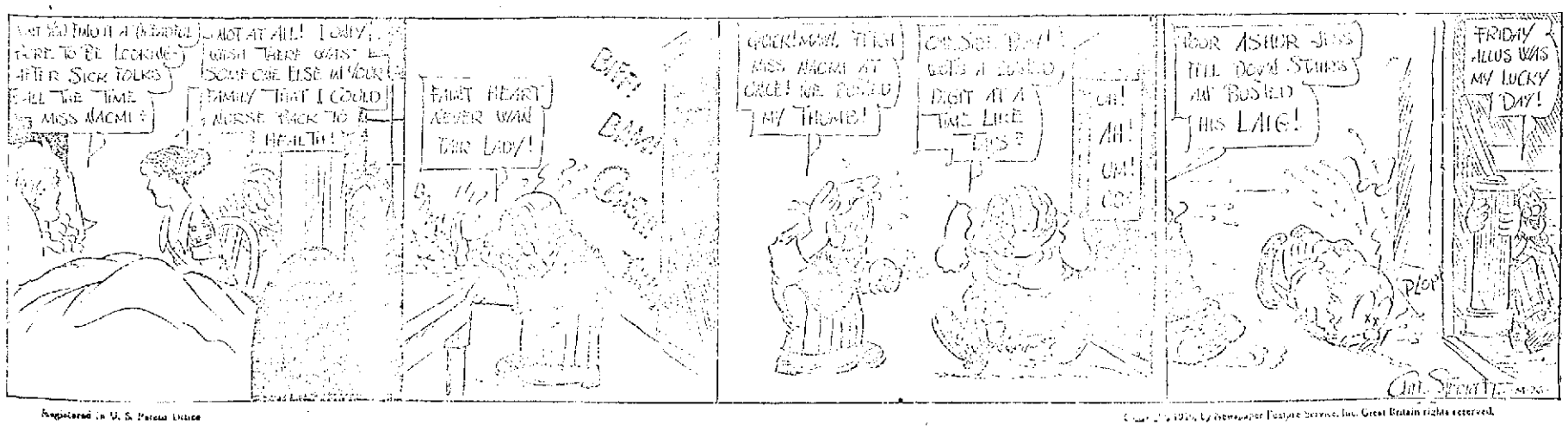
"He says he's going to call this afternoon."—Life.

Simplest Way

She—And did you break off the engagement?

He—Not brutally, you know. Just told her what my army pay is.—London Opinion.

FOLLY AND HER PALS — Dolly Just Will Have Her Chance — By CLIFF STERRETT



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CLEAN UP WEEK WILL BEGIN WEDNESDAY MAY 31

Acting upon a request of Mayor H. H. Kaps, made a few days ago, State Fire Marshal Bert B. Buckley has detailed several assistants to supervise the work of cleaning up the city of Portsmouth.

John S. King, of Ironton; Hugh Byrnes, of Cincinnati, and C. A. Long, of Greenville, are the assistant state fire marshals who have been designated for the clean up work. They have been ordered to report in Portsmouth, Wednesday morning, May 31, and to remain until the work is completed.

The assistants will be under the direction of John S. King and all will report to Fire Chief George Koerner and in addition make known their presence to Mayor Kaps.

Eagles Name Delegates To The State Convention

The Local Aerie of Eagles at their weekly meeting Thursday night named delegates and alternates to the State Convention of Eagles to be held in Newark, O., June 19-22. The delegates are Harry Grice, Gus Hoemer and Henry Roth. The alternates are Walter B. Schuyler, Walter E. Miller and Wallace Hale. William O. Stiger was named as the delegate to the Grand Aerie Convention of the Eagles, which will be held in Savannah, Ga., in July.

One candidate, Eddie Meehan, was initiated at last night's meeting.

Will Organize Carnival

Those of the National Exposition Company's troupe which left the company here recently, and went to Huntington, have returned and are again quartered at the Norton Hotel. They are enroute to Oak Hill, where they expect to organize a carnival company of their own under the name of Moore's Greater Empire Shows.

Interest Shown In U. S. Official Council

Washington, May 26.—Advocates of the industrial preparedness displayed interest today in the $141,000,000 army appropriation bill's provision for an official council whose duty would be to co-ordinate industries and other economic resources in time of war. The council would consist of six members of the cabinet and would be aided by an advisory commission of seven experts. The bill, approved by the house military committee yesterday, will be reported to the house next Tuesday. It includes provision for making the Hay-Chamberlain army reorganization bill effective and is the largest army supply measure in the history of congress.s

EVELYN THAW WEDS HER DANCING PARTNER

New York, May 26.—Evelyn Nesbit Thaw and Jack Clifford, her dancing partner, were married in Baltimore yesterday, it was announced today. They have been associated on the stage for three years.

No Change On Verdun Front Say The French

Paris, May 26.—There has been little change in the situation on the Verdun front says the official announcement issued by the war office this afternoon.

Bull Dog Is Shot

Police Sergeant John Smith [illegible] a fine big tan spotted bull dog that had entered the yard of the Henderson home at 1015 Front street and was [illegible] Friday morning. It was thought the dog had been poisoned. The words "Dennis Dennis" were [illegible] on its collar.

BRIDGEMEN ON STRIKE

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 26.—Five thousand bridgemen employed in open shops in Pittsburgh and vicinity are on a strike. The men ask for an increase in wages. Leaders claim that within a week the strike will extend to every open shop in the United States.

TRAIN RIDERS ARE FINED

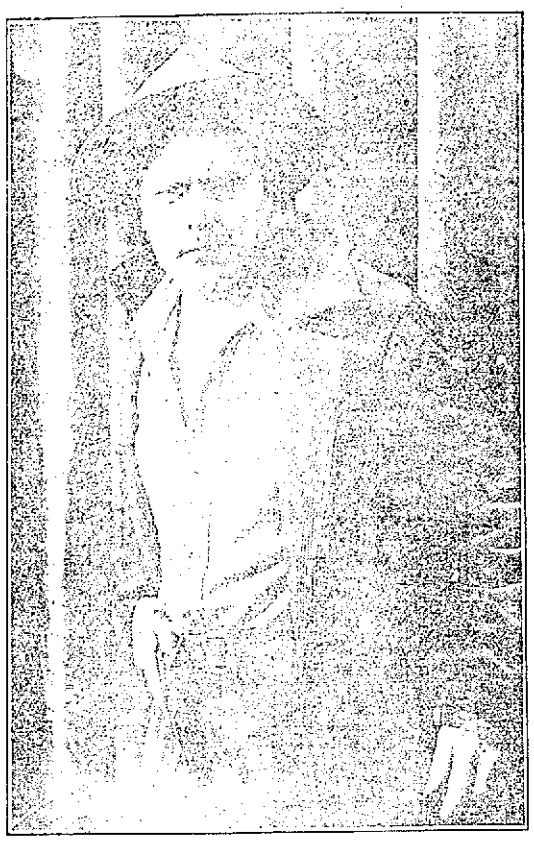
[illegible]

Male Chaff on [illegible]

[illegible]

NEW U. S. BATTLESHIP IS READY

Newport News, Va., May 26.—The new dreadnought Pennsylvania is to be turned over to the government within the next two weeks. During her speed trials recently she exceeded all requirements. The Pennsylvania will become the flagship of the Atlantic fleet, when commissioned.



WILLIAM FARNUM IN "THE SPOILERS"

Columbia Today

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LAST CHANCE ON THIS PICTURE

Are Still Working For New Hospital

A general committee was appointed Thursday evening at a public meeting of [illegible] Clayton, Andrew Glass, John H. Wilson, Dr. W. W. Davis, George H. Seiby, Dr. W. W. Davis and other men, held at Shaffer's Hall, Dr. J. D. Finch, Dr. S. S. Shoemaker, Dr. H. A. Schirmann, the Masonic Club, to devise ways and means to build a Grant's hospital. Dr. A. L. Tost, Frank V. Krauss and Dr. J. S. Barden.

[illegible] day, an additional six will be added. This committee will formulate [illegible] before the next meeting. Plans to raise the money necessary [illegible] which will be some [illegible] to build an adequate institution. This committee now is on action.

RAYMER AND JENKINS ARRESTED BY POLICE

George Raymer and [illegible] Friday, to hearing [illegible] Mr. Shonkwiler [illegible] Valley Traction company between Portsmouth and Wheelersburg, and to the citizens and business men of New Boston, Scioto[illegible] and Wheelersburg for the assistance they gave at the Ladies' Aid society of the Wheelersburg Methodist church for the splendid [illegible] they served.

Plans were also discussed for a "Sunday Day." to be held sometime this fall. The "Sunday Day" will be a [illegible] the merchants [illegible] on which they will offer special sales in merchandise at [illegible] dollar.

Meet Me At Nye's Fountain. 1211

D. of A. Will Initiate

Several candidates are slated for initiation at the weekly session of the Daughters of America to be held tonight.

Irresponsible Children.

An old lady of ninety-five sent her sons, aged seventy and seventy-three on an errand. They were a little long away, and she observed, "That's the worst of sending children." London Standard.

We [illegible] Are Alarmed

CHANCE TO GET GOOD ROAD TO CINCINNATI

BELT TROLLEY LINE FOR CITY BEING DISCUSSED

The owners of the new Micklethwait addition have offered the Portsmouth Street Railroad and Light Company a right of way through their land if it will lay tracks during the process of the street improvement they expect to make.

The Messrs. Micklethwait intend extending Grandview avenue north from its present terminus at Twentieth street. Grandview avenue will then become the only direct thoroughfare connecting Robinson avenue with the Boulevard.

Raymond D. York, general manager of the street railway company, said Friday that the company officials had not as yet taken up the Micklethwait proposition. "We do not feel like taking up anything new until we get rid of what we've got on our hands right now," said Mr. York, in referring to the still uncompleted traction service between Portsmouth and Hanging Rock. He said that there was really nothing definite regarding its Hill Top plans for the future, which will probably mean a new line out Grandview avenue from Seventeenth street and the connecting up of the end of the Seventeenth street line with the track on the east bank of Lawson Run or Athletic park, material for which has been on the ground for some time past.

Since the announcement of the new N. & W. passenger depot location, many persons have been busy figuring out and building on paper a suburban interurban line for the street railway. They would extend the proposed Grandview line around the Boulevard west to Scioto Trail, thence south to Chillicothe and Seventeenth streets.

Mr. York said also that his company was getting ready to take up with the city the matter of crossing the new Lawson Run viaduct, which would be the means of connecting up its Third street, or upper Eighth street line, with the main line on Gallia street.

Scioto county citizens who are interested in securing a direct highway to Cincinnati, now have the opportunity to aid in this project, as there is a movement on foot to improve the one mile stretch along what is known as the "river route," which consists of about six miles in Adams county between Buena Vista and Rome. With that bad section improved there would be a good automobile road from as far east as Huntington to the Queen City. As it is now the trip from Portsmouth to Cincinnati must be made via Chillicothe, to find good roads.

To secure the state aid, which is a necessity if the bad part of the road is to be improved, a considerable sum of money must be raised, and all interested in this section are asked to help the good cause along.

Residents along several highways in Adams county are asking for improvements, and state officials have said that they will improve the road which raises the most money per mile.

Greene township, in which the bad section is located, is willing to be assessed fifteen percent. Residents along the road are willing to be assessed ten percent, and in addition are circulating a petition and subscribing liberally.

Manchester is helping and an appeal has already been sent to the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce, as that city is vitally interested in a good road from this section.

Anyone wishing to help this important movement is requested to communicate with Blair and Finnie, or John W. Hall, county clerk.

BUSINESS MEN WILL HOLD A GET TOGETHER SESSION

Get Together! Shake Hands and Get Acquainted, is the special object of a general meeting to be held by the Business Men's Association sometime next week. This was decided upon at a special meeting of the directors of the association held Thursday afternoon. A committee consisting of W. W. Anderson, William H. Burt and William Z. Tritschler, was appointed to make arrangements.

This committee will meet Friday evening to decide upon the date for the gathering.

At this general meeting plans for the Greater 1916 Corn Carnival will be discussed. Every member of the association will be requested to attend, so that the suggestions of everyone can be obtained.

Members will be asked for suggestions as to the decorations to be used and the nature of the booths, if it is decided to have them.

Then, too, plans for a greater Business Men's Association will be discussed.

A resolution was passed expressing the appreciation of members of the association to the Portsmouth Street Railway and Light company for donating the use of four special cars for the formal opening of the Ohio Valley Traction company between Portsmouth and Wheelersburg, and to the citizens and business men of New Boston, Scioto[illegible] and Wheelersburg for the assistance they gave at the Ladies' Aid society of the Wheelersburg Methodist church for the splendid [illegible] they served.

Two More Entrants In Corn Growing Contest

G. H. Disterdick, secretary and treasurer of the Haverhill Telephone company and his son, Floyd Disterdick, of near Hanging Rock, are the latest entrants in The Times corn growing contest.

The acre of corn which G. H. Disterdick is entering is on the Disterdick farm, Green township near Pine Creek.

Floyd Disterdick's acre is located east of the orchard on the Disterdick farm, Green township.

Rev. Louis S. Brook To Preach Here Sunday

Rev. Louis S. Brook, of Howell, Mich., will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening. He preached in this church several weeks ago and is interested in this congregation. No doubt two large audiences will greet him Sunday. Rev. Brook will also teach the Men's Bible class Sunday morning.

FIX PICNIC DATE

Wednesday, June 7th, is the date set for the big picnic between the classes of Sciotoville and the Grade School, to be held by the Sciotoville High school students. By June 7th, the students will complete their studies for this term. School will be dismissed at the noon hour and all will adjourn to Millbrook park, where a basket dinner will be enjoyed. A baseball game between the juniors and seniors will be played at the park. The afternoon will be spent in a general good time.

Louisa Lodge Has Meeting

Members of Louisa Lodge held a very short routine session Thursday evening, the majority of the members being to attend the concert in the German Evangelical church.

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Fund Reaches $147.76

The total contribution to the G. A. R. piano fund to date is $147.76.

No more collections will be taken until next Wednesday when a vigorous effort will be made to raise the balance needed to pay for a piano. All school pupils are asked to save their pennies and larger contributions and next Wednesday when it will be turned over to the trustees of the fund.

The Movies

"Caught on a Skyscraper" is a two part L Ko comedy which begins with park flirtations and some breezy mixups in an apartment house. The woman sleepwalker evades a man's room at night and goes to an empty bed. Her husband later discovers her there. The sleep walker is impersonated by May Emory does some really sensational stunts like traversing the edge of a high roof and crossing between two tall buildings.

"Her Sister's Sin" is a one reel Rex drama with Francis Ford and Grace Cunard featuring. Ford is the producer while Miss Cunard is the writer of the story. "Animated Weekly No. 13" is a film crammed full of right-up-to-the minute current events.

Pasteurized Milk.

The editor of the American Medicine warns his readers against too much faith in pasteurized milk. He says experiments prove that the pasteurized milk is more liable to reinfection than raw milk and should therefore be used as soon as possible. Carelessly handled in transportation or in the home it quickly collects bacteria and becomes highly dangerous to health.

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